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MRS. COOPER DECLARES SHE WILL BE ACQUITTED

"I TOLD THE TRUTH; I WILL BE FREE"

Sketched in Court by Boston American Staff Artist.

MRS. ALICE COOPER AT IMPORTANT POINTS IN HER TESTIMONY.

Weeping as she gives details of the death struggle with Northey; trying on apron worn at time of tragedy, at request of counsel.

Husband Declares Confidence in Wife and Faith in Her Story on the Witness Stand—Medical Experts Testify for the Defense.

Special to the Boston American.

AUGUSTA, Me., April 17.—"I had but one story to tell. That is the reason I was not broken down in my cross-examination."

Mrs. Alice F. Cooper, on trial for the murder of Charles D. Northey, Jr., made this statement to-day on her way to court. Her husband, big, strong and more faithful than most men, walked by her side. The slender, pale-faced woman smiled at him; showed her white, even teeth and gave him a glow from her wonderful eyes.

"Yes, that is so—I believe my wife told the truth," he said, nodding his head to emphasize her words.

"I am feeling very well to-day, continued Mrs. Cooper. "I am looking forward now to the end of my ordeal. I feel confident of my acquittal. I have faith in the honesty and justice of the twelve men in the jury box.

"I told the truth and the whole truth on the witness stand that was the oath I took, and I did not break it.

ASHAMED OF SOME THINGS.

"It would have been easy, may be, to have left some things unsaid. There were things to tell of which I am ashamed. It is not necessary for me to say what they were, but while it was foolish of me to do them I want my friends to believe that there was nothing disgraceful. What I did I told on the witness stand, and I told all of it.

"I presume that there are people who have suspicions about me that they veil in suggestive remarks. I am not worried about this. I know I have hosts of friends who believe in my entire innocence. Not only that I am incapable of taking that poor boy's life, but guiltless of any immediate act. I only have a trunk full of letters and they are nearly all from women, too. It has been said that the women were my bitterest foes in this crisis in my life. I do not think so. Somehow to-day, as I walk out in God's warm, pure sunlight, I feel that the women only can understand my position and that they do

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FANS GATHER EARLY TO SEE FIRST GAME HERE

COLLINS' PILGRIMS HAVE THE NEW YORK HIGHLANDERS FOR GUESTS TO-DAY.

BY A. H. C. MITCHELL.

HUNTINGTON AVENUE GROUNDS, Boston, April 17.—Here we are again for the opening of another baseball season, the greatest, perhaps, that Boston has ever had and Boston has had some great ones in past years.

The ticket sellers were all ready for business at 1 o'clock, the time fixed for opening the gate, but long before that hour a vast throng was clustering for admission. The three-cent brigade that sits over on the first base bleachers knew they would have to hustle themselves if they wanted a seat, and in an incredibly short time, after the first ticket was sold, the popular old bleachers began to fill rapidly.

Perfect Arrangements.

The management had made careful arrangements to handle the crowds. Hugh McBreen, the new secretary of the club, has been the busiest man in town for many a day and he had everything in apple pie order. Fifty blue-coated minions of the law were distributed about the grounds, some at the ticket office to keep the crowds in line, some over on the first base bleachers to quell any incipient riot that might break loose when two or more fans wanted the same seat. And there were some that

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REPORT 2 KILLED BY EXPLOSION ON WARSHIP

LONDON, April 17.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Malta says: It is rumored that an explosion has occurred on the British battleship Prince of Wales. It is said that two men were killed instantly, and that several others were injured.

The battleship Prince of Wales is one of the largest warships of the British navy. She was launched in 1902 and has a displacement of 15,600 tons. The extreme thickness of her armor is eleven inches.

The Prince of Wales is equipped with four twelve-inch guns, twelve six-inch quick-firers and eighteen three-inch quick-firers. In addition she has four torpedo tubes. The engines are 18,000 indicated horse power, capable of giving the vessel a speed of eighteen knots an hour.

FIST DUEL FOR WOMAN IN THE SOUTH STATION

FAIR ONE IS HURT IN THE MELEE; TWO MEN ARE UNDER ARREST.

Two men, giving the names of Joseph W. Mackay, guest at Young's Hotel, and Frank Fitzgibbons of New York, are under arrest at Lagrange street station, charged with an assault on each other in the South Station, a handsome woman was with one of the men, receiving several blows on the face in the melee. The brawl was started by Fitzgibbon, according to the police. While Mackay, who was badly used up, was being driven to the police station in a cab, Fitzgibbon was sent up there in the patrol wagon, in charge of Police Inspector Wise. On the way up the inspector said: "What did you want to start the fight for?"

To this Fitzgibbons replied—"He tried to run away with my wife.—— him, I'll fix him."

The row started so suddenly that few people, if any, saw the first of it. According to stories of trainmen, the first known was when the man giving his name as Mackay came into the station with the woman. The latter was tall and finely built, with stylish Spring gown and pretty hat. They were just at the entrance of track 15, where the Bay State limited was to pull out at 10 o'clock. This with within two minutes of train time. Mackay was a man of medium height, rather stoutly built and carrying a traveling bag.

Made a Rush at Mackay.

Suddenly Fitzgibbons appeared on the scene, making a whirlwind rush at Mackay. Fitzgibbons is a tall, athletic chap, somewhat of the successful business man type. Judging by the results, Fitzgibbons had much the better of the fight. Mackay received a lab over the left eye that cut the flesh to the bone, several short-arm jolts on other parts of his face and a general bruising that made him practically unable to go to the police station without help.

The woman received several blows, either by intention or accident. She bled freely from the mouth and had a bruise on her face.

All this took place in a flash. Two fatrolmen on Meek and Inspector Wise jumped for the mix-up at about the same time. Wise got hold of Fitzgibbons, who struggled desperately to get away, not apparently for the sake of escaping, but in order to get at Mackay again.

Woman Went to Station.

Wise hustled Fitzgibbons to the patrol wagon, Gateman Meek took Mackay to the station in one cab and the woman went to the station in another cab, though she was not under arrest.

At the station Fitzgibbon gave the name of John Brown of New York, but latter gave the name of Fitzgibbons, which he said was his right one.

Mackay was attended by the station surgeon. Just about this time the woman appeared in the station. She had stanched the flow of blood on her face, but still showed signs of the fracas. She asked for Mackay and was allowed to talk with him a minute in the guardroom. Then she went out, crying bitterly.

"TOWN MEETING" FOR SO. BOSTON CHURCH

"The Town Meeting," the first of a series of lectures on "Government and Citizenship," which are to be conducted by the City History Club of South Boston, will be given in Grace Church, No. 315 Dorchester avenue, to-night. The principal speaker will be Frederick Allen, director of the club.

MINERS SHOT DOWN BY THE COAL POLICE

THREE MEN SLAIN AND OTHERS NEAR DEATH IN CLASH.

Special to the Boston American.

WINDBER, Pa., April 17.—After a night of rioting and bloodshed, in which the lives of three miners were sacrificed by the deadly rifle fire of sheriffs, and several men and a boy severely wounded, Windber awoke this morning to find the State police force in town and Sheriff Begley controlling things with an iron hand.

Only the wrecked houses and the pools of blood on the streets where the men fell at the fire of the deputies remind one of the scenes of horror of the night just passed. The miners have not returned to work in great numbers, although four mines of the company are working with a partial force.

Sheriff W. G. Begley and a force of deputies, shortly after daylight, escorted eleven men arrested last night to the street car line and sent them to the county jail at Somerset. The officers were all armed with Winchesters, and formed a cordon around the prisoners, who were handcuffed together.

The dead:

ZILIS, PAUL, leader of the men.
MAZZA, PHILIP, aged thirty-six.
MOGAT, JOHN, aged twenty-two.

Seriously wounded:

DELANEY, EUGENE, chief engineer of the Berwind-White Company, shot and stabbed; cannot live.
KESTER, CHARLES, twelve years old, shot in abdomen; will die.
STIZZART, CHARLES, shot in leg.
WAGNER, CHARLES, kicked and hammered; internal injuries.
KIVOSH, ESTO, shot in arm.

Nine others, names not given.

The trouble at Windberg started while a mass meeting of the strikers was being held in the open field near the Berwind-White works. The men have been on strike since April 1. It was decided to return to work, but the men were in an exceedingly ugly mood.

In Pursuit of Deputy.

S. W. McMullen, chief deputy sheriff of Somerset County, walked down to the meeting to see what was going on. His friends advised him to stay away, as the miners have a grudge against him. He had scarcely arrived at the meeting before the entire audience had turned on him and was driving him up the road toward Windber. Sticks, stones and lumps of coal were hurled at him, and for safety he rushed into the house of Charles Davis, son of the City Councilmen. The mob surrounded the house, tore off the weather boarding, broke down the porches, smashed the windows and almost pulled the house from its foundations.

Sheriff Bigley, who was at the mines in charge of deputy sheriffs, armed with rifles and bayonets, led his men into town and drove back the mob, making twenty arrests.

5,000 in Mob.

Two hours later a mob of five thousand men came rearing up the road from the mines to the lock-up. They were led by Paul Zilles, a Polish miner. He urged them to attack the jail and the force of deputies gathered about it. The deputies fought them back with bayonets and the ground with a hose, and finally Sheriff Bigley ordered the deputies to fire.

At the first volley several of the crowd fell and the leader, Zilles, was shot through the heart. Two other men were also killed.

$45 IN NIGHT'S FISHING.

Forty-five thousand pounds of pollock were taken in one night's fishing by the steamer Water Witch of Provincetown, which docked at T Wharf to-day. The night's work netted each of the crew $45.

IMPORTANT NEWS

Revised Hourly for Busy Readers.

WASHINGTON.

FREE ALCOHOL BILL PASSES HOUSE.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The bill removing the tax on alcohol for use in the arts and industries and for fuel, light and power passed the House yesterday by 222 to 7.

DEMANDS INVESTIGATION OF BANKS.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Senator Tillman yesterday demanded an investigation by the Senate finance committee of the question whether national banks have made contributions to political campaign funds.

SAYS POWDER DID NOT EXPLODE.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Admiral Cowles, who commanded the Missouri two years ago when 2,000 pounds of powder exploded in the handling room, said yesterday that the accident on the Kearsarge could have been nothing worse than burning powder.

FOREIGN.

YANKEE WOMAN TO EXPLORE ATLAS MTS.

LONDON, April 17.—Mrs. Laura Fitzgerald, an American, with an expedition, left Mogador, Morocco, on April 9 to explore the Atlas Mountains in the Gundafy Highlands, where Cunninghame Graham was captured by Moorish brigands years ago.

NATIONALISTS AND ORANGEMEN CLASH.

LONDON, April 17.—Reports from Annaghmore, County Tyrone, Ireland, state that a serious collision occurred there to-day between Nationalists and Orangemen who were holding simultaneous meetings. Several shots were fired by each side and many were injured.

OPERATION ON DAVITT; HE WILL RECOVER.

DUBLIN, April 17.—Michael Davitt, the Irish leader, who has been ill from blood poisoning, underwent an operation to remove the cause of the trouble to-day. Sir Thornley Stoker, who performed the operation, says it was successful and that Mr. Davitt will recover.

BOSTON.

PROVIDENT VICTIMS GAIN.

The latest decision of the Colorado courts, rendered yesterday, regarding the Provident Securities Company and the ownership of its stock, reverses a former ruling in favor of Gurley, and declares the matter is open for further litigation, and that no application shall proceed until Receiver Hall is notified.

BLOW TO OLEO DEALERS.

As a result of the work of internal revenue agents of this city, an order has been issued that all dealers in oleomargarine who color it to resemble butter of any shade of yellow come under the classification of manufacturers and are subject to a special tax of $600.

TECH PROFESSOR WEDS.

Professor Harry M. Goodwin of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology was married yesterday to Miss Mary Blanchard Linder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Linder of Beacon street.

DEATHS.

DROPS DEAD WAITING TRAIN.

MANCHESTER, N. H., April 17.—John Jewett Turner, aged forty-five, director of music and teacher of singing, dropped dead at the passenger station yesterday while waiting for a train for Boston.

LEGISLATURE.

NOW LEGISLATIVE AGENT.

John Fleming, who has been scored for appearing in the Senate without registering as a legislative agent, did so yesterday.

$50,000 FOR BIG FAIR.

The House passed the allowance for Massachusetts' representation at the Jamestown tercentennial yesterday, after reducing it from $75,000 to $50,000.

LIGHTING BILL DEFEATED.

The bill changing the present public lighting law so that it may become operative in any city on a majority vote, was defeated in the House yesterday by a vote of 108 to 83.

NEW ENGLAND.

SHIP FOR BAY STATE TARS.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The converted yacht Gloucester, which won fame at Santiago, will be turned over to the Massachusetts Naval Militia for a naval reserve boat.

$17,537,470 BILL PASSED.

The annual appropriation bill calling for an expenditure of $17,537,470 was unanimously passed by the Board of Aldermen yesterday afternoon, after a two hours session in the Committee on Public Improvements.

PROMINENT PERSONS.

SAYS DEPEW WILL RESIGN.

ALBANY, April 17.—It is persistently reported in legislative circles that the resignation of Chauncey M. Depew from the United States Senate will be received at Albany within a few days.

TWAIN TO ELLEN TERRY.

LONDON, April 17.—Mark Twain has sent a message to Ellen Terry, preparations for whose stage Jubilee are being made, saying: "Age has not withered nor custom staled the admiration and affection you felt for me when, so many years, I lay then at your honored feet with the strength and freshness of their youth upon them undiminished."

ALL SORTS.

POLICE GO ON STRIKE.

CONNELLSVILLE, Pa., April 17.—The police here went on strike yesterday when refused an increase of $10 a month.

B. & M. AFTER BUFFALO END.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 17.—The Boston & Maine is said to be back of the Lee, Higginson & Co. bid of $901,000 for the Hamburg canal property here, in order to get a Buffalo terminal.

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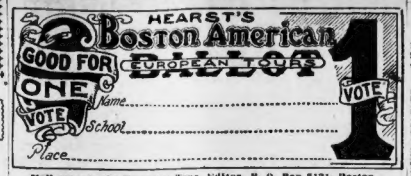

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AID LOW TEACHERS, VOTE IS SCATTERED

The people are befriending low teachers in the European Tour Election. The time-honored cruse to flock to successful ones, to "get behind a sure winner," and to not "throw away your vote" is giving way in the balloting to select forty women school teachers for the prize European trips offered by the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN.

Each day teachers with less than 10,000 votes, and therefore not enrolled in the published lists, receive the ballots of friends.

The reason for this is that the forty European tours are yet to be lost or won, and a popular teacher able to make a campaign for herself could enter as a new candidate right now and have plenty of time and opportunity to win. Especially is this true of the Boston division, in which twenty tours are to be given, but which still has the lowest vote.

Four new teachers came into the contest yesterday—three of the nfrom the Greater Boston division and one from Providence, R. I.

The three candidates are Miss C. E. Bristling of Ingalls School, Lynn; Miss Alice Burke of Boston and Miss Cook of Agassiz School, Jamaica Plain. The one Providence entry is Miss L. Durfee.

Massachusetts has a new leader and new third-favorite to-day in Miss Ellen desk. Barrett and Miss Elizabeth Sharry, both of Worcester, the first named passing Miss Nellie Bullman and the second going above Miss Annie V. McGourty.

CANDIDATES AND THEIR STANDING IN SCHOOL TOURS

Following is the list of teachers having 10,000 votes or more in the European Tour Election. Record is kept of the names and votes of all teachers still unlisted:

Boston and Metropolitan District.

Rachel Rososky, Lewis, Roxbury	97,180
Louise Lamprey, Winthrop, Melrose	82,200
Mary E. Whelan, Adams, Boston	62,000
Minnie Nichols, Sidney, East Boston	58,000
Anna L. Maguire, Henry Vane, W. Roxbury	53,747
Susan B. Gould, Lafayette, Everett	51,000
Elizabeth Hutchison, Phillips	49,27...
Katherine T. Prescott, Boddington, Swampscott	48,901
Mary H. Twomey, Williams	48,000
Nadine Fogginson, Washington	44,630
Catherine Ryan, Holmes, Cambridge	43,000
Mary W. Hawkins, Eliot	34,771
Kimberly Rogers, Prescott, Charlestown	34,000
Violet Cryder, Endicott, Dorchester	31,330
Mary E. Sullivan, Harvard, Cambridge	30,810
Minnie Dimond, Quincy	28,810
Helen Gallagher, Bigelow, Somerville	28,200
Kate Hood, Washington, Boston	26,177
Mary A. Hawley, Dudley, Roxbury	19,734
Ellen R. Martin, Crouch, Quincy	18,000
Madeline Driscoll, Lewis, Roxbury	14,407
Alice E. Cressman, Prescott, Wakefield	13,760
Mary Bowser, Shaw, Wellesley	13,000
Ida M. Daly, Quincy	12,850
Mary Rosan, Beaconcrest, Beachmont	12,843
Mary E. Sullivan, Bigelow, Somerville	11,800
Rosan McDonald, Carey, Chelsea	11,340

Massachusetts, Outside Boston.

Ellen de S. Barrett, Jackman, Newburyport	272,336
Nellie Bullman, South High, Worcester	271,200
Gladys L. Barrett, Jackman, Newburyport	263,253
Annie V. McGourty, Hogarth, Worcester	155,100
Alice M. Cook, Agassiz, Jamaica Plain	149,000
Louise Pratt, Hamilton, Worcester	84,880
Margaret Lee, Providence, Worcester	70,230
Nellie L. Conners, Perkins, Brockton	67,000
Annie Mellen, Millbury, Worcester	66,351
Mabel Mitchell, 2nd Street, Lawrence	57,000
Rosie Churbuck, Indian Neck E. Wareham	57,000
Florence McCarty, Ward Street, Worcester	56,10...
Annie Bennis, Syracuse, Brockton	55,10...
Mary Farrell, Northville, East Bridgewater	54,10...
Helen G. Sennett, Hogarth, Worcester	53,000
Margaret Lawrence, Bigelow, Somerville	51,000
Margaret Donovan, Howard, Lowell	28,000
Ruth Partridge, Ames, Lowell	26,811
Edith Cunningham, Gill	21,87...
Grace Holden, High, Lowell	21,000
Alice E. Ramsey, North, Chelmsford	15,000
Alice M. Hayes, Bigelow, Somerville	13,000
Anna L. Fox, Davis, Fall River	12,633

Rhode Island and Connecticut.

Grace J. Allen, Waller, Bristol, R. I.	202,94...
Agnes K. Cudwell, America, Providence	245,117
Catherine Bailliell, America, Providence, R. I.	243,000
Mary E. Odin, Regent, Providence	181,500
Gertrude E. Barnes, Lime St., Worcester	175,000
Madeline L. Gass, Regent, Providence	167,000
Annie L. Mahoney, Kilburn, Providence	128,867
Annie Mullen, Bristol, Bristol, R. I.	120,000
Susan B. Allen, Garfield, Central Falls	100,157
Susan M. Russell, Pawtucket, Pawtucket	99,004
Mary K. Campbell, Central Falls, R. I.	75,500
Margaret Cleary, Wallenford, Ct.	75,000
Grace L. Milligan, Central Falls	65,000
Mary Hanley, Pawtucket, Pawtucket	64,000
Mary E. McNiff, Thornton, Johnston, R. I.	61,000
Mary E. Hughes, Darlington, Pawtucket	60,000
Mary E. Dailey, Darlington, Pawtucket	59,000
Elizabeth Cook, Broadway, Providence	57,000
Elizabeth Dyer, Woodlawn, Pawtucket	50,000
Beatrice Hall, Pitman, Providence	43,750
Cecile M. Seville, Providence	39,000
Gertrude Sykes, Woodlawn, Pawtucket	38,000
Mary Donovan, Providence, R. I.	30,41...

Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont.

Katherine L. Keniston, Cole, Berlin, N.H.	214,000
Isabel Kaloon, Bath, Me.	164,500
Mary L. Donnelly, North Bridge, Me.	97,500
Nettie M. Wirth, Brewster, Me.	90,250
Annie Gilmore, Brewster, Brewster, N. H.	86,000
Helen Jones, Head Tide, Head Tide, Me.	85,000
Nellie Bolger, Staples, Portland, Me.	62,381
Mary Quinn, St. Johnsbury, St. Johnsbury, Vt.	57,500
Kittie Scott, Kinsman, No. 2, N. H.	50,538
Margaret E. Foley, Kenna, No. 2, N. H.	19,041
Gertrude Pollard, Exeter, N. H.	12,700
Fannie Horton, Claremont, N. H.	10,000

"AIDA" IN CONCERT FORM ON THURSDAY

Few musical events of the season have attracted more widespread interest than the giving of "Aida" in concert form at Symphony Hall on Thursday evening. The able soloists, the large chorus and the excellent orchestra directed by Emil Mollenhauer promises an inspiring performance. The soloists include Louise Homer, Isabelle Bouton of the Metropolitan Opera Company, Edward P. Johnson and Emilio de Gogorza.

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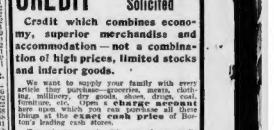

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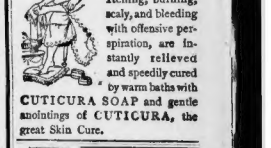

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By Thompson Peel.

CHAPTER III.

The Cipher Explained.

ULLERSON leaped to his feet and his hand closed so tightly on Davis's shoulder that the fingers sank into the flesh.

"Joe Morgan in Boston?" he exclaimed.

"Yes, and he means to do you up good and plenty when he sees you." Davis responded as he wriggled out of Cullerson's fierce grip. "He hasn't forgotten his daughter. Where is she, anyway?"

"Lord knows. I haven't seen her since the day after we went west together. She was of no use to me when I found she had brought with her an old piece of gold ore rusted of 'The Green Blaze.' I left her in Sydney to go upon a little journey, from which I have not yet returned."

Davis laughed outright.

"I suppose you didn't care about trying your luck again with Joe Morgan on the chance of getting your hands on 'The Green Blaze?' No? Well, you were wise if you valued your neck. I should rather face a dozen wildcats than Joe Morgan if he should happen to have any sort of grudge against me."

"Well, we'll not bother with Joe Morgan's grudges," Cullerson said, impatiently. "Where did you find him?"

"Strange to say, I found him at his old place in Ballarat, where he was stopping as a guest. He had been wandering about the country for five years searching for his daughter. Finally he came back to Ballarat unsuccessful, and with very little money."

"But he had 'The Green Blaze'?"

"Oh, yes, he had that, and as I said before someone else had been sent out to Australia to find him and offer to buy it. This agent discovered Morgan about the same time I did. Morgan accepted the offer, but came all the way to Boston to deliver the jewel into the hands of the man who was purchasing it."

"Didn't you see any chance to get away with it on the way over?" Cullerson asked. He looked at Davis with a slight sneer about his mouth.

"Look here, Cullerson," Davis blazed out, "aside from the fact that Joe Morgan has the strength of six men, and never seems to sleep, you must remember that a steamer is not in Boston one minute before you can make a grab for something and disappear around a corner with it. That kind of business is more in Hammond's line than mine."

"I don't expect you to fight your way through this thing," said Cullerson, haughtily, "but I've always given you credit for being clever."

"I preferred being safe," was the short response. "Besides, I knew that Joe Morgan was coming to Boston, where we would have all the opportunity we needed to get away with the diamond, without running any foolish risks."

Davis was interrupted by a banging on a door far below.

"There's Hammond now," he said, "out what else I have to say can go with him just as well as with you."

After a few minutes the door of the little room was pushed open and a round, fat face, surmounted by a bullet-shaped head, cheerily stepped into view.

"Hello, gosse," the newcomer greeted them, as he winked solemnly. "Sorry to sing 'way, but s'help me, I couldn't work around the Joe joint any sooner. I'm still hear the automobubble whizzing—whizzing."

"Oh, shut up and come on in," interposed Cullerson. "How do you expect to get of any use while you keep up the muzzle like that?"

"I'll be ready for business when business is ready for me," said Hammond, gravely, "and just don't you lose any sleep about your Uncle Fuller—alias 'Pug' Hammond. He never yet failed to put in his punch when the time came for it, and—"

"Can't you shut him up?" Cullerson demand, coolly, of Davis.

For answer Davis pushed the bottle and a glass across the table to Hammond.

"Put some of that in your face and shut up," he suggested.

"Mr. Davis, you're a gentleman and—" Hammond began, but Cullerson glared at him and he subsided, his further remarks being of occasional husky exclamations.

"Now, as I was saying," Davis continued, "although Morgan is a giant in strength and stature, he is a baby when it comes to his own affairs, a simple, guileless baby, and it didn't take me long to get on to the fact that he had received an offer of $500,000 for the diamond."

"Wal? Three hundred thousand reg'lars for a sparkler?" exclaimed Hammond.

"Not half its real value," Cullerson put in. "Why, it's a perfect diamond of 280 carats, and one of the largest gems known in the world."

"Gee, what a beaut headlight it would make for your evening dress, boss," remarked Hammond, enthusiastically. "Got a trust skun a mile."

"We needn't discuss its real value," said Davis sharply. "Three hundred thousand dollars is exactly what I offered and what impressed and on the quiet. The man who negotiated the deal was sent out by Peterson & Shaw, lawyers, on behalf of one of their clients. When Joe Morgan reached Boston he went immediately to their offices, where all arrangements were completed for the sale, made sure of that before I sent the telephone message. To-morrow Joe Morgan personally will deliver The Green Blaze to the purchaser."

"Did you find out the purchaser's name?"

"Do you think, Cullerson, that with the cleverness you credit me with I would neglect such an important point as that?"

Davis paused, lighted his cigar again and concentrated his gaze on the ceiling.

"Well?" asked Cullerson impatiently, "who is the purchaser?"

"When The Green Blaze changes hands it will pass into the possession of John Taylor of Lynn."

"John Taylor of Lynn?"

With an exclamation of astonishment Cullerson again started to his feet.

J. Chester Pike, detective, in his apartments at the Hotel Regent that night sat leering over a piece of paper which he had deciphered many times, but which now he wrote out from the beginning:

"Monday," he said to himself. "Automobile. It comes between Summer and Winter, therefore between Summer and Winter streets, Monday at 4."

Suddenly he threw down his pencil.

"Confound it!" he exclaimed. "The cipher specifies 2:00 and 4 make it 3:30. Just twenty-seven minutes too late."

(To be continued to-morrow.)

WON $50 PRIZE FOR STOPPING THE AUTO

John J. Hunter of No. 2 Marion place, Everett, won $50 at 3:03 o'clock yesterday afternoon for holding up the great automobile of "The Great Auto Chase" between Summer and Winter streets, on Washington street.

Standing boldly toward the machine bearing a representative of the BOSTON AMERICAN, Mr. Hunter was the first of several score persons to hold a copy of the SUNDAY AMERICAN bearing "The Great Auto Chase" story high in the air to stop the machine to stop.

Mr. Hunter, almost shaking because of his good fortune, clambered into the machine to receive his money. The car started. A young woman, very pretty, visibly grieved in blue, rode with excitement, pushed forward. She struck the step and clung to the side of the car while she held her paper aloft.

"Do I win?" she demanded excitedly, not noticing the man who was grinning joyously at his good fortune.

"The gentleman wins," she was told.

"Then I want to get down," she said, as the car drew out of the mixture of teams and stopped at the curbing. Disappointment was in every line of her pretty face. When she saw the laughing crowd and the dirt on her dress, she realized her position. Blushing, she pushed away the aides from the steps and subsided into the crowd.

But Hunter was happy because he knew that there would be rejoicing by Mrs. Hunter and two little Hunters out in Everett. His joy was pleasant to look upon. He signed the receipt for the $50 with a trembling hand and went his way.

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ALICE COOPER'S STORY A ROMANCE OF FOLLY CROWNED BY TRAGEDY

HOW CHARLEY NORTHEY TALKED TO MRS. COOPER WITH HIS EYES.

"Charley used to talk with his eyes, and I thought he wanted to see me."
—*Alice Cooper's testimony.*

"Charley Northey talked with his eyes." — Alice Cooper.

"I wonder has she ever seen Edwin Cooper talk with HIS eyes? Others have. They saw him to-day when his wife told of that embrace which she accepted willingly. What they saw was not pleasant to see."—Eleanor Ames.

Woman's Pride Crucified by Admission Before Husband and Friends of Receiving Embraces and Kisses from Dead Youth.

By Eleanor Ames.

AUGUSTA, Me., April 17.—Alice Cooper has finished her story. She has spoken the last words in her own defence. She has traced, step by step, through the easy stages of its development, a foolish romance, which, from a simple, natural beginning, ended in the tragic death of Charley Northey, and the misery of the entire Cooper family.

Nothing in this long, torturing trial, with all its harrowing phases, has begun to cause Alice Cooper the agony of heart and mind that has this recital of her folly—the open and public admission of the fact that she, a wife and mother, a zealous church worker, a leader in the community, was involved in an absurd infatuation for a boy who was but a child of six when she became the bride of Edwin Cooper.

All the embarrassing incidents so glibly retailed by the neighbors, annoying as they were to hear, were endurable, because there was the chance that they might not be credited, or at the least discounted, by those who listened.

CRUCIFIXION OF HER PRIDE.

But the shame of having to confess, under oath, before one's own husband, one's relatives, one's friends and neighbors, not to mention the door, chattering, criticising public, that embraces, kisses and proposals to elope have been received from the young man who was considered the family friend, means the crucifixion of woman's pride—and that is pain beyond compare.

Alice Cooper endured the ordeal with the same marvellous fortitude which has made it possible for her to face relics of the dead unflinchingly.

There were times when she gave evidence of high nervous tension, as in the deathlike pallor of her face when she donned the skirt and apron that she wore that fatal day, and slipped that deadly little, glittering weapon into the pocket she had made to receive it, and showed just how Charley Northey, with his arms about her in a final embrace, found the revolver which ended his life.

And there were tears when she told of the embrace.

Were they tears of shame that his arms were about her, and hers about his neck, and his kisses on her face?

Were they tears of grief that Charley Northey is dead?

Were they tears of regret that she ever bought the revolver which ended a life which was so dear to her?

Alice Cooper is not an easily read woman.

FAIL TO ANALYZE WOMAN.

Those who have watched her most closely for the long weeks that she has sat in the court room are obliged to confess that they have failed to analyze her with even the slightest satisfaction.

It was to explain puzzles and clear away doubts that she went on the witness stand.

Various stories had been told of her friendship with young Northey.

Horrid insinuations had been cast upon her character and her purity.

Doubt had been spread broadcast in generous quantity.

And Alice Cooper welcomed the chance to set herself right and make the mystery plain.

In response to Mr. Heath's questioning she told an unhesitating, convincing story of the discovery of Charley Northey's love for her; the decision made by her husband and agreed to by her that the boy's devotions must cease; the late evening call when she sent him home, because she was afraid; the buying of the revolver, the farewell embrace, the struggle, the rust from the house—and oblivion.

She was modest and frank in her replies. Apparently she had nothing to conceal.

When, with merciless delving, Attorney-General Hamlin turned the batteries of cross-examination upon her she displayed marvellous composure, splendid poise and a surprising shrewdness of mind and constant alertness.

Yet, has she solved the mystery? Has she kept away all the shadows of suspicion from about her?

Has she pointed for us the livid picture of Charley Northey, suicide?

"POOR, FOOLISH WOMAN."

That is what we are all wondering tonight. She was afraid of him, so afraid that she bought and loaded the revolver, yet she went willingly, yet, gladly, to his arms when he opened them to her.

She placed her arms close about his neck.

He fairly devoured her with kisses—even had she wished to she had no chance to return them, so impetuously were the kisses given.

And, all the time, not one hundred feet from where they stood, held close in each other's arms, Edwin Cooper, the husband of the woman, the friend of the man, was working with earnest endeavor in his shabby shop, to earn an honest living for the wife, held in Charley Northey's arms.

Oh, poor, foolish Alice Cooper! If Cooper may have been prosaic and matter of fact.

He may not have been the devoted admirer that the callow stripling was, but there was more honest goodness in his little finger than there was in the whole body of the man who accepted his friend's wife and tried to steal his wife, and leave his children motherless, and bring ruin upon his home.

Alice Cooper said to-day that "Charley talked with his eyes." He did some of this optical talking on the Sunday evening that she went over and asked him to sit with her.

LIFE OF REPENTANCE.

I wonder has she ever seen Edwin Cooper talk with his eyes.

Others have.

They saw him to-day when his wife told of that embrace, which she accepted willingly. And what he said was not pleasant to see.

Yet later, with face as calm as ever, he escorted his wife down to the corridor and chatted with her across the railing the same as he has done day after day.

Edwin Cooper's face is showing the strain.

It is thinner and paler. But the hard, set look about the eyes and mouth tells more than anything else that he, too, is suffering.

Alice Cooper, poor, foolish woman, has told her story. When she stood before the jury, modest in manner, sweetly sad, in expression, and fastened the gingham skirt about her waist and slipped the revolver in the pocket and put on the gown that she wore that day, did she establish her innocence and make clear the way to freedom?

Let us hope so.

A lifetime of repentance in a fearful penalty to pay for a few months of folly.

And until we know beyond all doubt to the contrary every human impulse demands that we lay only one crime at Alice Cooper's door—the crime of folly.

WOMAN SEES SKULL BUT RETAINS NERVE

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I want to thank many of those who have written to me and whose letters I have not yet had a chance to answer. I will answer them, though."

LOOKING FOR THE END.

"Mr. Hamlin, the Attorney-General, treated me as a lady. I have only the kindliest feeling for him. I believe that he believes I am innocent. I believe that if he had had his way this whole miserable trial would never have been brought. I shall have to endure the agony again of the medical testimony, but Mr. Heath will not prolong it. I am only lookin' for the end now; the end and hope."

Whatever the result of the trial—and there seems to be an idea here that it will result in a disagreement—it is certain that its revelations have not diminished the faith in his wife of her broad-shouldered, brawny-armed blacksmith husband.

"I have not talked much about this case," said Edwin Cooper. "I told what I knew on the witness stand. What took place in the house the day Charley came there my wife has told. She told it all to me, and she told it to the authorities. The cross-examination did nothing but make her story stronger. It brought out some of the statements that she had made in a more detailed and more emphatic way. I believe in my wife and know that she told the truth."

A LOOK OF ANGUISH.

There was a look of anguish on the face of Mrs. Cooper as the forenoon session of court progressed. Dressed in simple black, her hat removed and lying on the table in front of her, she sat gazing at the witness stand.

Dr. Frederick Henry Gerrish, a brain expert, was on the stand. But Mrs. Cooper, apparently, did not see him. She gazed at the table in front of the expert—and probably beyond that into the room where she last saw Charley Northey alive and felt his lips on her lips.

For on the table, like a white cup or half a gourd, lay part of Northey's skull. It was empty. Occasionally the expert touched it, and it rocked back and forth as though life had been given it. At the side of the skull were two plaster brains supposed to represent Northey's. They were slightly pink and lifelike. The expert picked these up at times and pointed out how the bullet from Mrs. Cooper's revolver had ploughed through her sweetheart's head.

IN A CROWD OF WOMEN.

Once Mrs. Cooper sighed. The room was so still it was audible. Then she raised her right hand and rested her head on it. For a few moments she closed her eyes.

What did she see with those closed eyes? Took of end around her was a crowd of women. Their heads were tropical with birds and flowers. It looked like a belated Easter display. But they craned and strained to hear the testimony of the expert and see its effect upon the little woman in black.

Marion Carey was there with a great white hat. Beside her sat little Rose Clifford, smiling about to her friends. Not far away was Charles Northey, the kindhearted father of the dead boy. He seemed the least interested of all in the proceedings, sitting back his son.

Mr. Heath told a reporter for the BOSTON AMERICAN that he would finish his side of the case to-day.

It is thought the summing up will begin to-morrow and the case be in the jury's hands by Thursday.

MEDICAL EXPERTS FOR THE DEFENCE IN COOPER CASE

Special to the Boston American.

AUGUSTA, Me., April 17.—The crowd at the trial of Mrs. Cooper to-day was the smallest of any day since the case opened. The fact that the medical experts are to testify, and that probably nothing would be of much interest, added to the beautiful Spring weather, kept the usual spectators out of the close court room.

When court opened Dr. F. H. Gerrish of Portland took the stand. At Mr. Heath's request he fitted the lower half of the forehead brain into the lower part of Northey's skull.

Dr. Gerrish said that the color of the brain matter had so changed, the gray and white matter being so nearly the same shade, that he was unable to clearly distinguish the lines of demarkation of the various parts. In support of his view that the brain was not a good fit for Northey's skull, the witness pointed out to the jury the space left between the brain and the skull on all sides and on the bottom.

"It is no fit at all," he said. This evidence is in direct contradiction to that given by the State experts who contended that the brain was a good fit, one even saying it was a "close fit."

During most of this testimony Mrs. Cooper watched Dr. Gerrish interestedly. She seemed to have lost her horror of the skull and sat with her head leaning on her hand her eyes on the witness as he placed and replaced the pieces of brain and put the skull together.

Q.—Can you by the use of the formalin reish and the skull tell the course of the bullet through Northey's brain? A.—I am unable to do so.

Course of the Bullet.

Q.—Can you by the use of the skull? A.—I cannot.

Dr. Gerrish, in answer to a hypothetical question by Mr. Heath, stated that in his opinion the track of the bullet through Northey's brain would be above the corpus collosum.

Q.—Do all gunshot wounds through the brain cause immediate paralysis or loss of consciousness? A.—Certainly not.

"I should expect the brain to be much lacerated," said Dr. Gerrish. The brain is very soft and such magic certainly would tear it.

Q.—Could a physician tell if he were tearing it more? A.—I could not tell.

Q.—Assuming this hole in the brain, two by one and a half inches, was the actual hole made by the bullet, what would be the effect of such a wound? A.—Instant death.

Q.—Would you expect spurting from the branches of arteries that were cut by this bullet outside the skull? A.—Yes.

Q.—Would all the wounds made by a 32-calibre bullet passing through the brain cause immediate paralysis or unconsciousness? A.—Certainly not.

Q.—Would they necessarily cause death? A.—No.

Mr. Heath described the lacerations of the brain observed by the doctors who performed the autopsy and Dr. Sakeforth's act in running his fingers through the brain and asked what effect that would have on the internal structures of the brain.

On cross-examination Dr. Gerrish said that what he called the "virtual space" between the skull and the brain did not afford material protection from injury to the brain. Experts for State testified that it did.

Dr. Gerrish further said that he would expect, in a majority of cases, a bullet making a wound such as shown by Northey's skull would cause unconsciousness.

How Bullet Was Extracted.

Sheriff Ham was recalled and asked how he extracted the bullet from the casing of the door in the entryway of the Cooper house. He said he took it out with his fingers.

Mr. Heath said he wished to have Professor Knight examine the bullets in the case, but did not ask to give his reasons in the presence of the jury. The jury therefore be done unless some guarantee could be the bullet which the State claims was taken from Northey's head are some substances which Professor Knight believes to be varnish and wood fibre. He wished to be sure. He believed that the bullet that killed Northey and the one that went through the brain had been mixed in some way.

Justice Peabody ruled that it could not be done.

Mr. Heath stated that on given that the character of the bullet as an exhibit would not be changed.

It was decided that some chemical process would be necessary, and that therefore the examination could not be made.

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MRS. REGINALD VANDERBILT.

Mrs. Reginald Vanderbilt wore an exquisite creation of lavender chiffon, trimmed with puffings of the chiffon with lace, and caught at intervals with lavender ribbons. She wore a simple hat trimmed with a wreath of lavender roses.

MRS. BRYCE ALLAN.

Mrs. Bryce Allan looked regal in black spangled net, with large scarf of white fox fur. A small black hat, with white plumes, completed her charming costume.

MISS DOROTHY JORDAN.

Miss Dorothy Jordan wore a crepe de chine gown of beige with a stunning coat of the same shade in peau de soie. She wore an extremely becoming hat trimmed with rosebuds and green velvet ribbons.

THREE STRIKING GOWNS THAT HELPED MAKE HORSE SHOW BRILLIANT.

Society Girls and Matrons in Competition for Ribbons Increases To-day's Interest.

Vanderbilt, Moore and Jordan steeds are struggling for supremacy on the second again to-day—the second day of the Boston Horse Show in Mechanics building. The exciting contests of the opening day between these three principal contending strings—in which Judge William M. Moore of Chicago secured the greatest number of blues, has simply whetted the interest of both competitors and spectators for to-day's programme.

To-day's exhibits also gain added interest from the considerable number of society women's and girls' entries in the fine saddle and harness classes.

The society women were the principal contestants for the morning events, starting in at 11:05 with Class 84 for ladies' saddle horses, mares or geldings, ladies ride, to ride. This contest is for a first prize offered by Mr. Charles Hayden, among those entering horse owned by Mrs. Emily W. Stearns, Mrs. D. P. Pendleton, Miss Jane W. Waldron, Miss M. Soulise, Lillian A. Raymond and Mrs. J. DeForest Sandelson.

The next class, No. 56, in the morning's judging is a large one, carrying eighteen entries of harness (novice) horses, and bringing Judge Moore of Chicago, Reginald Vanderbilt and Eben D. Jordan into competition again. Judge Moore: Pride of Prides is entered. Mr. Vanderbilt is down for Portsmouth and Mr. Jordan pins his faith on Lord Majestic.

The final morning entry is for light weight qualified hunters, class 109, the entries including Reginald C. Robbins, A. Henry Higginson, Courtenay Crocker, Allan Forbes and others to a total of twelve. Miss Emily W. Stearns, Miss Dorothy Forbes and Miss Jane W. Waldron come in competition at 2:10 this afternoon in class 82 (for ladies' saddle horses fifteen hands one inch and under).

One of the best classes of the afternoon promises to be No. 17 at 2:30 for hackneys in harness. Mr. Jordan has Hildred and Lord Burleigh entered. Lord Burleigh is one of the horses that helped Mr. Jordan wrest a blue from Judge Moore in the harness tandem class on the opening day. But to-day Judge Moore will send Oakenbaum Princess into the hackney harness class, also Grand Duke. The Princess won the blue in the class 54 novice yesterday against Mr. Jordan's Lord Brooke, so that the two big strings will be in equally exciting contest in class 17. Mr. Vanderbilt will have to be reckoned with also, as his brown gelding, Portsmouth, is entered.

Class 76 at 2:15 this afternoon is another one for the spectators. It is for pony tandems, and Messrs. Jordan, Moore and Vanderbilt pairs are entered.

At 4:45 the society girls and women will have the limelight again in Class 50 (for combination saddle and harness horses). In this there are entries by Mrs. Pendelow, Miss Dorothy Forbes, Miss Waldron, Mrs. Dankison, Miss Beauchond Bradley and other society amateurs.

The Boston contingent hopes to make up to-day for the disappointments of the opening day when Judge Moore took three blues and three seconds, and Mr. Vanderbilt and Mr. Jordan had to be content with two blues apiece.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME AT THE HORSE SHOW

AFTERNOON SESSION.

2 P. M.—Judging four pairs horses in harness (novice), class 57.
2:10 P. M.—Judging eight ladies' saddle horses, class 82.
2:30 P. M.—Judging nine hackneys or half-bred hackneys in harness, class 17.
2:45 P. M.—Judging seven horses and ponaboute, appointments to count, class 98.
3 P. M.—Judging three pairs of harness horses (geldings), class 54.
3:15 P. M.—Judging four pony tandems, class 76.
3:30 P. M.—Judging six teams (four-in-hands), class 67.
3:50 P. M.—Judging 11 roadsters, class 6.
4:05 P. M.—Judging 17 combination horses, class 50.
4:45 P. M.—Judging three pairs of ponies, class 75.
5 P. M.—Judging 14 harness horses, class 25.
5:20 P. M.—Judging nine pony jumpers, class 150.

EVENING SESSION.

8:15 P. M.—Judging 16 horses in harness, class 21.
8:35 P. M.—Judging nine saddle horses, class 79.
8:55 P. M.—Judging hackney stallions, class 144.
9:10 P. M.—Judging nine pairs high steppers, class 32.
9:25 P. M.—Judging two high school horses, class 92.
9:45 P. M.—Judging seven ponies in harness, class 72.
10 P. M.—Judging eight ladies' harness horses, ladies to drive, class 46.
10:20 P. M.—Judging 15 thoroughbred hunters (qualified or green), class 111.

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BARR, ELOPER, 'FRIEND OF KING' UNDER ARREST

Arrested in Winthrop, Me., Where He Was Living With Girl Companion.

AUGUSTA, Me., April 17.—Colonel Robert W. Barr, alias Colonel Robert W. Wilson, who in 1903 posed as a personal friend of King Edward, bought a $10,000 farm in Kingston, N. Y., and afterward left his wife to elope with Minnie Storm, a pretty seventeen-year-old girl of Kingston, was arrested at Winthrop last night, charged with a statutory offense. He was held in $1,000 bonds for the September term of the Grand Jury.

When Barr eloped with the Storm girl he is supposed to have fled to South America. Mrs. Barr lost track of him, but afew months ago he returned to this country, and it is supposed he went to her. In some way he secured $1,2.. with which to buy a farm at Winthrop, and he came here to live. Miss Storm also lived at the farmhouse. It is out of this and the elopement that the charges leading to his arrest grow.

When Barr left New York his wife again lost trace of him and it was not until two weeks ago that she located him at Winthrop. At that time she came to Gardiner and engaged Attorney George W. Hesselton to prosecute her husband. Hesselton went to New York to investigate the allegations she had made, and then caused Barr's arrest.

Mrs. Barr before her marriage was Miss Annie Elkins of Albany, N. Y., and was wealthy.

Barr, who said he was once the British governor of Fantu (Africa), a friend of King Edward and a ranchman of great wealth, first came into public light when he eloped with Miss Storm. A few months before this he went to Kingston and paid $10,000 for a farm, which he named Barr's Ranch. Miss Storm was employed on the ranch.

LIGHT TRUST IN BUFFALO HAS YIELDED

Scared by Municipal Ownership Campaign, It Makes Radical Reductions.

BUFFALO, April 17.—Municipal Ownership leaders and the energetic campaign of Independence Leaguers of Erie County have brought about a notable victory over the electric light and power monopoly in Buffalo.

As a result the Buffalo General Electric Company has agreed to enter into a contract with the city for five years from March 1, 1907, for the number of arc lights in use on April 1, 1906, at the price of $50 a lamp per year instead of $75, the present price.

The city is also to have the benefit of the $56 rate for the remaining nine months of the present contract, beginning in June of this year.

Private consumers will also have the price reduced from twelve cents per kilowatt hour to nine cents.

The reductions will save to the city in five years $309,995, and to private consumers thousands of dollars a year.

The Municipal Ownership men in Buffalo had been fighting for a year when the new Independence League took up the fight. The company, after many hearings before the Common Council, offered to capitulate to fend off a movement for a municipal plant. The offer of the company was accepted.

The municipal ownership men will not abandon their fight for a municipal plant, however. They regard the better prices as a concession, but only the beginning.

TWO LYNN BOYS MISSING.

LYNN, April 17.—Harold Halphr, nine years old, of No. 48 Essex street, and Frank Nota, twelve years old, are missing from their homes.

315 REPORTED SLAIN IN MUTINY OF RUSSIANS

Dispatch Says Soldiers Attacked Garrison When Leaders Were Arrested.

BERLIN, April 17.—The Schlesische Zeitung to-day says that a mutiny has occured at the military garrison at Tiflis, Trans-Caucasia, because the authorities dissolved a meeting of soldiers at the garrison which was held to discuss grievances.

On hundred of the ringleaders were arrested and placed in confinement. Upon learning of the arrest of the ringleaders half of the garrison proceeded to the barracks, armed themselves with rifles and mutinied. The remaining half of the garrison, however, maintained loyalty to the Czar and fought the mutineers. A bloody battle ensued and when order had been restored it was found that 315 soldiers had been killed and 655 wounded.

PI ETA SHOW TO-DAY.

"The Girl and the Chauffeur" is the title of the annual comic opera given by the Pi Eta Society of Harvard University, in Tremont Theatre, to-day.

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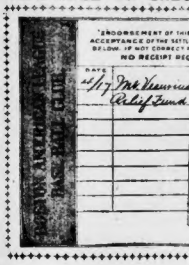

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Enclosed please find check for $719.02, the amount of the Boston American League Base Ball Club's share of the receipts of the game played at New York, April 16th.

Yours sincerely,
Hugh A. McBreen,
Treasurer Boston American League Base Ball Club.

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HUGH A. McBREEN.

Treasurer of Boston American Baseball League team, who has forwarded check for $719.02 to Vesuvius relief fund.

Plans Under Way to Increase Contributions From This City to Volcano Victims in Italy.

The Boston American League Baseball Club's share of the receipts of the game played at New York yesterday, amounting to $719.02, is to-day added to the fund being collected for the relief of Naples sufferers from the great Vesuvius eruption. This sum was given by order of the directors of the Boston American League club, of which John T. Taylor is president and Hugh A. McBreen treasurer.

By this generous check the total amount raised in Boston amounts to $4,250.52, and the total of the country is by the same source raised to $15,925.87.

It is another example of the way in which Bostonians are coming to the relief of the sufferers in Naples. The fine fund has touched the hearts not only of the Italian citizens but of all nationalities.

Although the contributions have been coming into the BOSTON AMERICAN by almost every mail, large and small donations, made in the most generous spirit, they have not allowed the work to lag. Plans are on foot for larger sums to be raised. Boston will not be behind other cities in the matter of generous response to any appeal for aid.

R. H. White's employes are to give a performance of the opera "Prince Pro Tem" for the good work. At the Boston Theatre next Tuesday afternoon there is to be a benefit by the leading players in the city, who have volunteered their services.

Other New England cities are coming to the front. In each the Mayor has started a relief committee at work and the cities are contributing. In a few days, to judge by all appearances, the fund at the disposal of the general committee will be as large again as reported to-day.

Naples and her villages need all that can be raised. Day by day the stories coming from the stricken city show that those in want cannot be relieved by the means at hand. Outside assistance is all that will keep them from the greatest suffering. The few thousands already sent them have been received with joy. They need many more thousands.

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Collected at meeting in Mayor's office	1,050.00
Keith's Theatre benefit	1,000.00
Received by Lee, Higginson & Co.	527.00
Total Boston fund	$4,250.52

OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS.

William Randolph Hearst	$1,000.00
Other New York contributions	4,407.35
Chicago	1,585.00
San Francisco	1,170.00
Los Angeles	1,387.50
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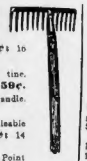

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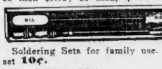

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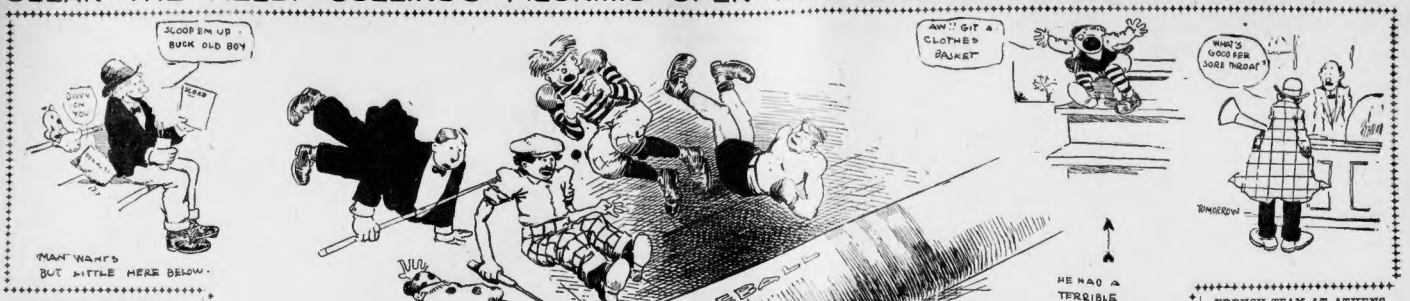
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PRESTIGE WON $5,000.

PARIS, April 17.—William K. Vanderbilt's race horse, Prestige, won the Prix Biennal of $5,000 at the Longchamps races yesterday.

FRENCH TEAM AT ATHENS.

ATHENS, April 17.—The French athletic team, which is to participate in the Olympic games, beginning here on April 22, arrived in this city yesterday. The athletes were cordially greeted.

A. A. U. May Not Allow the RECORDS OF DANIELS

NEW YORK, April 17.—Two of the records made by C. M. Daniels, the New York Athletic Club champion swimmer, at the recent championship meet held in the Mercury foot race now being questioned, and it is expected that they will not be allowed to stand.

The world's record made by Daniels for sixty yards was made in a fifty-yard race, and the last ten yards of the distance was not made in competition. A new American record was made by Daniels in the 1,000-yard distance in the same way. The record was made while he was swimming in competition for the last half-mile contest, and he made the last 120 yards of the 1,000 without competition.

Swimming Director Frank J. Sullivan, of the Central Y. M. C. A. of Chicago, has written to J. E. Sullivan of the A. A. U. asking if the records in the sixty-yard and the 1,000-yard distance will be allowed to stand. The rules of the A. A. U. specify that a record must be made in actual competition, but the circumstances under which Daniels made these records is so unusual that the officers of the A. A. U. may consider that they shall stand, as there is no question that Daniels covered the distances in the fastest time.

Secretary Sullivan of the A. A. U. was the referee at the meet and watched the performance and took the time in the 60-yard race. Daniels swam the distance in the recordbreaking time of 28 2-5 seconds, one the American record. His speed was such that the timers and his friends sent him on after the 60-yard record, and he accomplished the distance in the 1,000-foot time of 31 1-5 seconds, the former world's record being one second slower. It was held by Cecil Healy of Australia.

The same circumstances prevailed when the new American record for 1,000 yards was made. He was in the 880-yard race and he covered the half-mile distance in 12 minutes 29 2-5 seconds, making a new record for this country, and he was swimming in such fine condition that he was sent after the 1,000-yard record. He covered the latter distance in 14 minutes 8 5-5 seconds, the former American record being 15 minutes and 23 seconds.

Americans will be surprised to learn that the records made by Daniels will not be allowed by the English swimming authorities because the time was not made in scratch races. When Daniels made his great bursts of speed he was competing in handicap races, but as he started from scratch there seems to be no good reason why his performance should not be allowed to stand. The Amateur Athletic Union did not hesitate to accept the records.

The announcement that the records would not be accepted comes in the form of a communication from W. C. Sellar, President of the British Amateur Athletic Association, to J. E. Sullivan, of the American Association. Kelly adds that Cecil Healy, an English swimmer, covered 100 yards in 57 3-5 seconds, but the record was not accepted because the swimmer did not do it in a costume.

HONEY MELODY PUT M'KEEVER TO SLEEP

For the second time Honey Melody, the greatest welterweight in the East, demonstrated that he was the master of Charlie McKeever, the Philadelphian, at the Lincoln A. C. last night, when Honey got his slumber wallop over in the sixth round and the Quaker passed up his chips.

It was a test of the boxer versus the fighter with McKeever, the fancy sparring expert, and Honey, the go-in-and-wallop individual. The fighter was out, as he had youth and superior strength to back him up.

There was never any question about the result after the first round, as Melody was always on top, barring a slight space in the second round, when he ran into some stiff ones that McKeever had ready and seemed to be slightly distressed, but never in the least bit of danger of getting licked decisively.

The local boy decided not to do any waiting, and at the outset, waded in and kept speeding, as fast as Mc-Keever wanted to. This kind of travelling was all right for the visitor when he could set the pace, but Honey was out to win by short route and not the long affair. In the last meeting McKeever stayed eleven rounds, much to Honey's chagrin and the determined way he opened up last night showed that it was not going to happen again if he had anything to say about it.

He was sent in to travel at top speed and make McKeever hop for all he was worth, no matter what the consequences might be, and the wisdom of the movement was apparent after the battle had gone a few rounds, as McKeever's strength began to ooze and he became easy prey for Melody.

McKeever proved somewhat troublesome before Honey could get him in a position to land over the punch, as Charlie always had himself in control, in spite of the heavy body pounding he was receiving, and several times drove Honey across the ring by the force of his attack.

MELLODY IN GREAT FORM.

Mellody's speech form was never seen to better advantage, and his increase in speed, his continual aggressiveness in the face of McKeever's superior cleverness brought out the qualities to the best degree.

The old campaigner fooled him a lot by his fancy moves and shifty hitting and crafty footwork, but he could not get away from the earnest, pulsating, body crushing punching of the husky young plant from Bunker Hill.

In the previous match between the pair McKeever was outpointing Honey in the early rounds, but he did not get the chance last night, as Honey stood his ground and was always stepping in with his break-up style of hitting that caused McKeever to clinch more than ever and spoiled the rush of some of the lustre of the bout.

McKeever was at fault in using the hanging on tactics to an extreme and trying to smoke a book in at short range, and Mellody, in order to keep his end up, had to resort to the very kind of unagreeable methods. There was plenty of fierce mixing and wrestling, but Mc-Keever tired from the strain first. But it became so offensive that Referee Jack Sheehan, who had been accidentally struck while trying to break the bout, brought them up with a sharp turn by saying he would disqualify the first one holding after the word to break.

When the boys shaped up both looked to be in the finest condition, and Mellody was as strong as a young bull. He had learned a lot from the first encounter with McKeever, and immediately started to match him up in cleverness and drew him out for a chance to get the punch over.

HONEY PLAYED FOR BODY.

He worked on the body and kept his hands busy trying to reach for the wind. Gloves flashed in the air, and as they feinted at each other McKeever seemed to have some respect, as he was not anxious to mix it. Honey was alert and active, constantly on the jump, and it was evident in the second round that the blame in the body were hurting McKeever, as he was hugging too much. This rattled Honey and he got careless, running into a right and left on the jaw that seemed to make him stop for an instant and he stalled a bit. He was in the hunt again in an instant and more than cut the pace of it.

McKeever's punches began to lack power early in the fourth round, though he never lost control of his cleverness, and tried to kid Honey along. He was running short of breath and breathing hard at the mouth.

When the bell sent them off in the fifth it was only a matter of how long McKeever would continue to keep Honey from fastening on his knockout punch. It came in the sixth rather unexpectedly, at a time when McKeever was backing away. Honey was after him and swung, hitting and landing with half his full force, but McKeever went on his back and stayed down for the full count.

GAINES WINS AGAIN.

There was almost as much interest in the semi-final bout between Jerry Gaines, the market champ, and Al Mitchell of Waltham, as in the main affair.

A big bunch of rooters came along from Waltham with Mitchell with their banner roll, and immediately wanted to place any amounts at ten to six on the Watch City lad.

Mitchell had a big reputation back of him, as he was the national amateur championship at one time, and he made a game showing with the invincible Jerry, but it was all over in the third round, when Jerry got his famous haymaker into relentless action.

Jerry took his medicine in the first round, as Mitchell piled on the slammers and forced him to take cover. But Jerry is a glutton for punishment, and came up smiling. He settled down and planted his right on the jaw. That was the beginning of the trouble. Mitchell showed symptoms of coming back, but they were few and a couple of stiff ones told that Jerry carries in his right fist did the trick in the third.

Young Mack and Young D'Arcy pelted each other with all they had, but it only lasted for two rounds, when D'Arcy, who is known as a fast starter, let up from exhaustion around the mouth, went under.

Notes of the Harness Horses

A. H. Willard, Carthage, Mo., has bought of Allen, Farm, Pittsfield, Mass., the stallion Kyrmlac, 2.24½, and intends to place him in the stud.

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The members of the Dorchester Driving Club are congratulating themselves on the selection of the committees on finance and parks, as the ones announced are very favorably received. The management of the driving club members feel confident that the new parkway, which is to be built, will be lengthened to half a mile before the Fall series of matinees come around.

Frank McAlpine of Dover, N. H., has sold to C. H. Moore, Indiana, Pa., the trotting gelding Commodore Jack, 2.09¾, and Frank Mac, trial of 2.17¼.

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W. E. Newbert has received a number of letters in response to his invitation for the driving clubs of New England to hold a memorial banquet during this year in Boston. In every case the plan has been commended heartily received, so that there was seems to be no trouble in carrying the project through successfully.

ABE ATTELL IS READY FOR BOUT

By Boston American Leased Wire.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 17.—That clever little man, Abraham Attell, is about to receive active training for his bout with Neil Friday night. To-day will be the last day of the boxing, for which Monte Attell and kid Berry are more than thankful. Abe is near enough on edge to finish his work without any more of the actual biff, being of the training. A boxer second to no man in the world, he has nothing to worry about everything to lose should he sprain a thumb or put one of his hands out of business.

Of the three of the fighting Attells, Caesar, Abraham and Monte. They are the children of the late Caesar Attell, the retired member. He quit the game with John Johnnakos for good, and he quit to see why he should push his noble beak into any more swift couplets. Brains is very good with Caesar.

Abe is the most prominent member of the syndicate. He is the featherweight champion of the world. Such an authority as Jack O'Brien, not the least clever of our American boxers, says that Abe is the cleverest man in the world.

Abe Attell worked for an hour yesterday. First he did a little shadow boxing, and then he went after the punching bag. They will tell you that Abe can't hit hard enough to break an egg. He can hit hard enough to tear a punching bag loose, and that is going some.

After the bag came Monte Attell with the gloves. Monte is a willing little fellow who fights somewhere around the 125 pound mark. He was good enough to win three fights from Johnny Regan, and he went twenty rounds with Owen Moran in the East. Monte is a mixing slugger, and he went after Abie from the tap of the gong. The boys went a fast three rounds, and there was no brotherly love in the scrap. Monte quit with a nose about the size and complexion of a cabbage rose, and then Kid Barry came in for his walloping. Barry is a willing youngster who knows nothing about the game, but is possessed of a commendable desire to wade in and tear the other fellow's roof off.

To-day will see the last of boxing in the Attell camp. Abe is no close weight that he has to worry about that score; his appetite is good, and he says he never was better in his life.

TOMMY HALL RIDING FAST AT BEACH OVAL

Never did a ride of bike chasers train harder for a big event than Bobbie Walthour, Tommy Hall and Bedell on the Revere track for their twenty-five mile race at the beach saucer oval on Patriots' Day.

It will be a big attraction for the multitude which will go to the favorite resort on the holiday and it will be the first opportunity to gaze on the new wonder of the motor paced game, Tommy Hall, the Englishman.

The use of the powerful six horsepower, four cylinder motors will be another new feature which will be appreciated.

That the Britisher, Hall, is a wonder is apparent by watching him circle the track at top speed and little exertion. The fact that he holds the world's record shows the kind of stuff he is made of.

The little fellow is game as a pebble and hangs to his motor like a leech and will be a hard proposition for the Americans to squelch.

Much is expected of Bedell, if he continues to show the improvement that he has in practice. He has a great physique and is one of the most perfect athletes who ever strode a wheel.

The amateurs and "pros" are working overtime getting in shape for the sprint in the mile events and entries are coming in for the road motor race which will be a novel affair, as the drivers are new at track riding.

Hughey MacLean will try his hand at making a new record for two miles behind the new two cylinder motors.

TO ROW CONCORD MAY 12.

Noble & Greenough School crew will engage in a contest with the Middlesex School four-oared crew on the Concord river, Concord, Mass., on Saturday, May 12. Captain Winsor of the Back Bay School having personally challenged for the event yesterday. The race will be a short one, the distance being only about a quarter of a mile.

EASTER WEEK AT THE THEATRES A LIVELY ONE

ANDREW MACK HERE IN FINE NEW PLAY

TOLD THE TRUTH

KEITH SHOW HAS A GREAT VARIETY

Ready to sing or dance, or flirt or fight, or make love or show a wondrous acquaintance with the virtues of the blarney-stone—but most of all, to sing Andrew Mack in his latest vehicle, a play of his own sort. A goodly audience at the Boston Theatre last night was full of it, and of these, and applauded with equal enthusiasm, whether he sang a lilting love song in his sweet silver tenor or, stripped to his shirt sleeves, worked like a navvy, had village cue after the other.

Mack sings four songs this year. They are all good, and two of them are particularly adapted for getting the audience to refusing to get out. He dances very little, but his happy, care free, airy manner—the manner he has won his many hundreds of friends the country over—is the same as ever. The supporting company is about as good as usual.

It is not always safe to believe a press agent for a theatrical company. They do stretch it sometimes. But not always. The press agent of McIntyre and Heath also the closing engagement of John Craig with the company. His place at the head of the company will be taken by Howell Russell, late of the Empire Stock Company.

It is not always safe to believe a press we saw them last. "The Ham Tree" is agent for a theatrical company. They do merely an enlargement of their old vaudstretch it sometimes. But not always. The ville sketch, with about everything new, press agent of McIntyre and Heath also and unlike many of the co-star teams, they "The Ham Tree" has been declaring in are content not to be the whole thing. print that this company had the prettiest They retire at intervals and let the multi-line of chorus girls and the largest chorus tude of feast upon the chorus, or on W. C. in the country. He will surely go to Fields. It does one good to see Fields jug-Heaven for he didn't lie. It is. If there gle things—his hat, his cane, cigar boxes, was nothing else to "The Ham Tree" but rubber balls. He has many new tricks and the chorus girls, it would be worth the price all his old ones done differently, with more of admission. and funnier nonsense.

Then there are the songs. Frederic Bowers has the best ones, "Good Bye, Manhattan," in which he springs some up-to-date puns on gossipy sports, and "Sweethearts in Every Town." Forrest Huff has a nice comedian put together. They are worth seeing.

McIntyre and Heath are—well, they are McIntyre and Heath, only better than when

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STAGE PICTURES ARE MARVELS OF COLOR

Stage pictures that are marvels of light and life and color, combined with the beautiful singing voice, the personal magnetism and the married ability of Florence Bindley, are of "The Silver Slipper," presented at the Grand Opera House, a decidedly interesting play. Miss Bindley has a role which conspicuously fits her talents

SANE PLAY OF LIFE ON THE RANCHES

Filled to the brim with cowboys, cowgirls, half-breeds, bad men, gun play, and wild and woolly Western dash and vigor, J. Manilla Feigly's four-act comedy drama "Texas," packed the Globe Theatre to the doors at the two performances yesterday. It is a sane play of ranch life. There is a plot that is easily understood, and two or three love stories that hold the interest well. The company is notable including Mabel Dixey in the principal role.

Colonial Theatre

Fay Templeton, in "Forty-Five Minutes From Broadway," performs the seemingly impossible thing of making a plain housemaid as interesting a heroine as could be imagined for a musical comedy. Her gowns are black and simple. Her makeup consists much of her beauty and her speech is that of the servants' quarters, but, just the same, she is a capital heroine.

Park Theatre

Easter Monday playgoers, many of whom had been refraining from theatregoing during Lent, found a performance that was delightful in Annie Russell's "Friend Hannah," at the Park Theatre last night. Paul Kester has turned to a picturesque period of English history, and in the early days of George III. he has found a pretty love story.

A CLASSICAL TREAT AT CASTLE SQUARE

Lovers of Shakespeare were given a treat at the Castle Square Theatre yesterday, where the stock company, appeared in Romeo and Juliet.

The production marked the last classical play at the theatre this season, also the closing engagement of John Craig with the company. His place at the head of the company will be taken by Howell Russell, late of the Empire Stock Company.

Majestic Theatre

"The Earl and the Girl" entered upon its second week at the Majestic Theatre last night, and this week there will be no additional matinee on Patriots' Day. The company is headed by Eddie Foy, one of the foremost fun-makers before the American public to-day. In the role of Sam Chess, the irritant dog-trainer, he has a part well fitted to his style of comedy. Others in the company are Elsie Moore, Victor Morley, Zelma Rawleston, Nellie McCoy, Edward Ingersoll and H. Armstrong are his assistant fun-makers.

Tremont Theatre

"The Walls of Jericho," which was a stupendous hit in London and New York, began its final week in Boston at the Tremont Theatre last night. In "the Walls of Jericho" Annie Kennedy, James K. Hackett and Mary Mannering are appearing for a limited season as co-stars. They have seldom appeared together to better advantage. One may almost believe that the characters of Hugh Pescodder, the bluff and genial Australian and the frivolous but good-hearted Lady Alethea were written to fit their measure.

Columbia Theatre

Handsome, lively and alluring, the Jolly Grass Widows, in two sparkling burlettas, entertained two big audiences at the Columbia yesterday. There was no let up to the fun and frivolity, the music, the dancing and various other forms of amusement, while the comedians and the "widows" were on the stage, the last burletta being especially good.

MINNIE SELIGMAN IS IDEAL "CIGARETTE"

Minnie Seligman, leading woman of the new Empire Theatre stock company, is such a thorough actress that she loses herself in whatever character she assumes. She loses herself completely as Cigarette in "Under Two Flags," this week's bill, and her impersonation of the girl is fairly the clever treatment by the entire company makes the performance a notable one.

Howard Theatre

One of those clever, well balanced bills of vaudeville and burlesque serves the Old Howard patrons well this week. Tyce and Jermon, the piquant comediennes, are greater than ever this week with their personality. J. C. Hutchinson and company are also in the heart of the bill in "Sam Cheese, the Irritant Dog-trainer, by his a part well fitted to his style of comedy. O'Connor, Sherry and Bates, Miles and Raymond, Martin brothers, Cramer and Cooper, Francis Wood, Patches and Clifton, the Lowrr Pair and George F. Howard, character impersonator, are also pleasing numbers in the olio.

Lyceum Theatre

Patrons of the Lyceum were treated to a lively performance yesterday by the Majestic Burlesquers. An innovation is a musical burlesta entitled "Down the Line," written by Larry McGale, with special scenery and costumes. The olio comprises Maude Harvey and Evelyn Walsh, the three Ronays, Farren and Fay and the Watson sisters.

Bowdoin Square Theatre

A Western detective drama, "The Boy From the West," with LeRoy S. Sumner, a boy from the West as the star, won great favor at the Bowdoin Square Theatre yesterday. The play is the Sherlock Holmes style of thought and action, and it abounds with thrilling incidents, plausible and sequential, and a rapid and rich dialogue of expressive words.

Austin & Stone's Museum

One of the most mystifying cards ever put on at Austin & Stone's Museum is Paycho, the "electric woman," who defies all laws of nature. Big, strong men from the audience tried in vain to lift her from the floor.

There was a startling exhibit by the teeth-filing champion, the American Hercules, Hindu wrestling troupe of Tyrolean soldiers, Topp's symphony orchestra and Tell's marionettes. The olio is the forty-fourth edition of the "Minstrel Maids."

Roller Skating

A large crowd filled the Park Square Rink last evening and many fancy skaters were seen on the surface. There will a ladies' race to-night, on Thursday evening an amateurs' race and on Friday evening the usual professional race. Owing to the defeat of favorites in the last races this race promises to be one of unusual interest.

PATRIOTS' DAY MATINEES.

Each of the local theatres will give a special matinee on Thursday, April 19, Patriots' Day. Most of the houses have already been sold out for that day.

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Batting Order To-day.

BOSTON.	NEW YORK.
Selbach, left field	Dougherty, left field
Collins, third base	Keeler, right field
Stahl, centre field	Elberfeld, shortstop
Parent, shortstop	Laporte, third base
Freeman, right field	Williams, second base
Grimshaw, first base	Conroy, centre field
Ferris, second base	Chase, first base
Graham, catcher	Kleinow, catcher
Winter, pitcher	Hogg, pitcher

Umpires—Sheridan and Evans.

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patrolled the tall fence touching up the small boys with their clubs where it would do the most good when the youngsters quarrelled over a particularly advantageous knothole. It was a busy day for the cops.

It was also a field day for the fakers, hot dog men, peanut and ice cream men that were without the gates. Inside the grounds and under the grand stand thousands of bags of peanuts and hundreds of bottles of soft stuff were looked up for distribution to the swarms of boys who peddled them to the crowds.

Ideal Weather.

Never was there a finer April day for a baseball opening. Nothing was to be desired. And Boston made a regular holiday of it. The open street cars were pressed into service for the first time this year, and they groaned and creaked with the eager baseball fellows, who hung to the sides like flies to a sugar lump. The subway was packed at an early hour, and every car bound for the ball grounds was filled to the limit as soon as it appeared around the Park street loop.

The game was two hours off, but one would have thought it was under way from the activity displayed by the eager fans. The fact was almost forgotten that the New York Highlanders were to be the opponents of Jimmy Collins's bunch of Boston ball tossers. The only thing everybody knew was that it was the opening day, and all Boston wanted to be on hand for the fun.

The grounds were dressed in their best spring garb and were a rare treat to the expectant fans, who gazed with admiration on the fine horticultural job that Groundkeeper Kelley had accomplished, with the aid of the balmy weather. The fans climbed the sloping benches and from their perches gleamed with pride on the velvety green sward where the players capered.

The baggies of the grounds were all freshly painted, and there was nothing left undone that could be pleasing to the eye to look upon.

Early Fans Awarded.

It was long before the lunch hour that the avalanche of fans began to move upon the scene of battle, and the early birds got the choice locations.

First of all to fill up the grandstand were the lucky ones who were able to buy them, as the invited guests had occupied three whole sections, and they did not have to do the hurry act, as they knew the seats would wait for them.

Among the envied were the leading lights in the municipal government, and down in the first tiers was Governor Guild, his staff and council along with Mayor Fitzgerald and members of the Legislature. In the big gathering were many of the Hub's leading dignitaries, and conspicuous numbers of every profession.

Charley Gallagher with a party, Tom Lawson, General Dixwell, Mike Sullivan, were some of the old guard noticed among the spectators.

Loyal Fans There.

There was a big demonstration when the royal head of Pennsylvania, Connie Mack, came on the field and they were there in full force under the leadership of Charley Lavis and Bill McGreevy and they made Rome howl when the band played "Tessie."

At 1:30 the Salem Cadet Band started away with a bang, and things began to liven up while the martial strains were wafted through the sizzling atmosphere.

The teams were on the field early to give the fans a peep at their form, and the new youngsters came in for a lot of attention as they were sized up.

It was "Howdy, Jim," from every part of the field when Captain "Jeems" came through the gate and gave the sign to open things up.

Uncle Cy's Many Friends.

Uncle Cy also had to do a lot of saluting as he was greeted by his numerous admirers, and every member wearing a Boston uniform was remembered.

There were many sighs sent up because of the absence of Lou Criger, the kind of the wind peddlers, and many anxious eyes watched the work of Charley Graham, the boy who is to hoped will fill the shoes of the great Lou satisfactorily.

Just before the conflict was ready to open there was a commotion around the flagpole as the players marched across the field to fling old Glory to the breeze. There was no championship emblem to hoist this year as this feature was to be postponed till a year hence.

Clarkson.

Big Crowd Expected at Chelsea to See GARDNER AND SCHRECK

There is a fascination in seeing heavyweights perform that on one interested in boxing can satisfactorily explain. The sight of two giants struggling for the mastery, using every atom of their massive strength to win the honor and glory of a victory, is something so impressive that thousands rush to gaze upon the spectacle, who are not even interested in the faster or more stirring contests between men of lighter weight.

That heavyweights are the best drawing cards is acknowledged, and judging by the interest shown in the star match that will take place at the Lincoln Casino, Chelsea, Thursday night, between George Gardner and Mike Schreck, an overflowing house will greet these famous glove artists when they appear upon the stage.

GARDNER WORKING HARD.

Those who have watched George Gardner at work at Lowell are favorably impressed by the strong, healthful looking bearing of the athlete. He is in better physical shape to-day than he has been for years, and as he realizes that this is his last chance to climb the ladder toward the championship, he will strive to the utmost to score a decisive victory.

He is conceding fully twenty pounds to Schreck, and the latter is in great shape, evidence of which was produced at Terre Haute only a week ago when he knocked out Dave Barry, the California heavyweight in eight rounds.

REFEREE NOT SETTLED.

The question of referee is still in abeyance, and three names are under consideration, Captain Bill Daly, Maffitt Flaherty and Jack Sheehan. It will be settled upon Schreck's arrival in town from Chicago, with his manager, Billy Horgan, who is a well-known sporting man of the Windy City.

Although the Lincoln Club has put on an interesting show for Thursday, the announcement for the members remains the same as in ordinary dates, and this means that the members should reserve their seats early.

There will be three bouts prior to the heavyweight battle, each of six rounds: Johnny Mahan of Cambridge and Mike Grady of Southbridge, Billy Connaty of Cambridge and Young Freeman of South Boston, Young Kiely of Lawrence and Billy Clinton of Lowell.

The show will be started promptly at 8 p. m., so that out of town members can reach their homes without trouble.

ROUSE O'BRIEN SENT TO FLOOR IN THE FIRST

PHILADELPHIA, April 17.—In a rattling six-round go, Rouse O'Brien of Boston met Johnny Allen, before the Washington Sporting Club to-night. Allen put up a surprisingly good bout, and although on the defensive in the last two rounds, he had O'Brien stepping some to hold his own. O'Brien used a good straight left continually, and his bad Allen's face red from the constant jabbing. He also opened John's ear with a right-hand uppercut in the third, but Allen partly returned the compliment by causing the red fluid to flow from Rouse's mouth with a right-hander flush on the lips. Allen caught O'Brien with a glancing blow on the head right after the bell rang for the first round to start, and Rouse went to the floor. He was up before the count of ten and finished out the round in good shape. There was nothing to choose between them at the finish.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	0	0	1.000
Philadelphia	0	0	1.000
Cleveland	0	0	.000
Chicago	0	0	.000
Detroit	0	0	.000
St. Louis	0	0	.000
Boston	0	0	.000
Washington	0	0	.000

GAMES YESTERDAY.

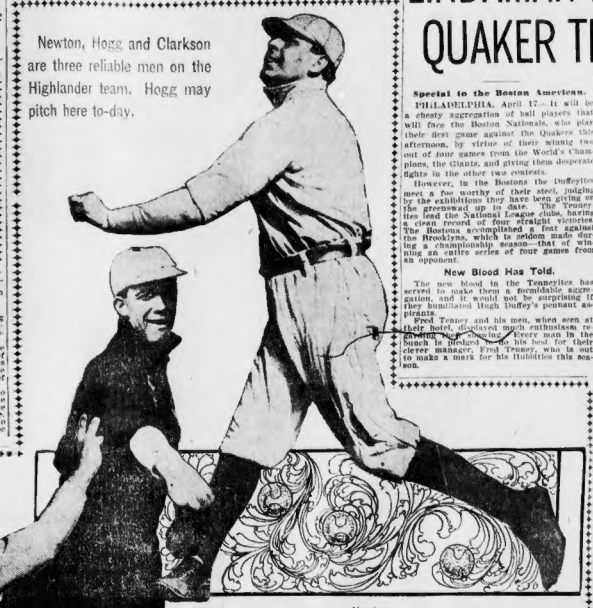
At New York—New York, 4; Boston, 3.
At Washington—Phila., 5; Washington, 3.

GAME SCHEDULED TO-DAY.

New York at Boston.
Philadelphia at Washington.
Chicago at Detroit.
Cleveland at St. Louis.

THREE OF VISITING HIGHLANDERS' PITCHERS

Photograph taken by a Boston American staff photographer in New York.



Newton, Hogg and Clarkson are three reliable men on the Highlander team. Hogg may pitch here to-day.

Newton.

THE GAME WHICH BEATS THEM ALL

By the Office Fan.

Twenty thousand fans were shouting in the zest of Springtime glee
The opening game of nineteen-six on local grounds to see.
They cheered the Highland laddies from Gotham far away;
When Boston Pilgrims reached the field, you couldn't hear Maud Brey.
Fresh from the land of Dixie, every man with bat in hand,
Captain Collins's men were unstirred before the great grand stand;
Rah for Selbach, Stahl and Parent, Grimshaw, Graham, Young,
Binneen and Jesse Tannehill, whose praises loud are sung.
How the boys cavorted on the diamond's glistening green,
And hit the ball such mighty swats the sphere could not be seen.
The new young bunch were frisky, like a buck bear Harlem goat;
Fans from old Manhattan rooted like a Angry Macon shoat.
"Come on," said Willie Keeler; "we will be the Champs next Fall."
"Not much," said good old Cyrus, as he hypnotized the ball.
Chase went after everything and Kleinow's play was slick,
While Chesbro curved his spit ball right around the Boston stick.
There were more dollars at the gate than an auto dray could haul,
For all the town was there to see THE GAME WHICH BEATS THEM ALL.

FUND TO SEND MISS SUTTON ABROAD

Plans are being made in Southern California to have the Chamber of Commerce of Los Angeles take steps to secure transportation to England and return for Miss May Sutton, the present holder of the English championship in the women's tennis singles, and also for her sister, Miss Florence Sutton, to Philadelphia, to compete there for the championship of the United States. It is said that unless some such scheme as this is put in operation the elder Miss Sutton will have to default her British Tennis title.

The championships will be held in England in June and the American championships take place about the same time, Miss Sutton has given it to be understood that she cannot bear the entire expense of a trip to England. Southern California has no regular tennis association to take charge of matters like this. It is pointed out that Wright, Ward, Collins and Little, who are going abroad for the Davis cup, will have their transportation and expenses paid by the United States National Lawn Tennis Association, or rather by subscriptions raised through that body. Many persons think that as much ought to be done for Miss Sutton.

This year if Miss Sutton does get abroad she will not have to go through a long series of matches. Her task will be to wait for the challenge rounds. In view of the fact that she is in better trim right now than ever before and that she won easily though last year despite all handicaps, Miss Sutton ought certainly to repeat her triumphs.

Miss Florence Sutton, whom it is proposed to send to Wissahickon to play for the United States championship, is only a little further to her sister, and has been improving rapidly of late. She is likely to carry off that title if present indications are any criterion.

ROSEBEN WON BIG HANDICAP JUST BY HEAD

NEW YORK, April 17.—Roseben, carrying the top weight of 129 pounds, won the Carter Handicap, which was the feature event at the opening races at Aqueduct, by a head, after a hard drive with Southern Cross. Roseben was favorite.

A long gap of daylight separated the first two horses from the eleven other starters. Coming out of the rush at the fifteenth pole, Red Knight ran into third place, barely nipping the short end of the money from Whimsical, second choice in the betting.

The race was run in 1:20 2-5, two-fifths of a second behind the track record. The horses awaited the heavy going next to the rail, the result of yesterday's storm, and found the track near the centre and outside rail very fast.

The field of seventeen horses named was reduced by the scratching of Ram's Horn, Imbo, Battle Axe, d'Artole and Bullorin. J. H. McCormick added Grenade and brought the field up to thirteen.

SCHAEFER LOST TO LOUIS CURE

NEW YORK, April 17.—Louis Cure, billiard expert from Paris, defeated Jacob Schaefer of Chicago in the 18.2 balk line championship in 24 innings, 500 to 386.

Albert G. Cutler and Ora Morningstar, the two tailenders, met, and the Boston won, 500 to 466, due to a run of 146 in the twenty-seventh inning, which raised his score from 281 to 427.

WELLINGTON A. A. MEET.

The Wellington A. A. of Dorchester will hold an athletic meet on April 19 on Murray's Field, Dorchester. A cross-country run will be the feature of the events. A bicycle race, 100-yard dash, half-mile run, shot-put, high jump, broad jump and a relay race between the Wellington A. A. and the Walcott A. A. will wind up the programme.

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GUS RUHLIN WILL MEET KAUFMAN

NEW YORK, April 17.—Big Al Kaufman, who lasted seventeen rounds of a rocky journey with Philadelphia Jack O'Brien, will be Gus Ruhlin's opponent in a June bout before the Tuxedo Club at Essington.

Manager Tom O'Rourke closed the deal by wire, getting an acceptance of his terms from Billy Delaney, who has the young Californian under his managerial wing. The pair will come East as soon as O'Rourke sends for them, and train near the scene of the fight.

O'Rourke is also negotiating with Tommy Burns to meet the winner of the Fitzsimmons-O'Brien battle, and expects to close the deal with Hart's conqueror within a few days.

LINDAMAN MAY FACE QUAKER TRIBE TODAY

Special to the Boston American.

PHILADELPHIA, April 17.—It will be a cheaty aggregation of ball players that will face the Boston Nationals, who play their first game against the Quakers this afternoon, by virtue of their winning two out of four games from the World's Champions, the Giants, and giving them desperate fights in the other two contests.

However, in the Bostons the Duffeyites meet a foe worthy of their steel, judging by the exhibitions they have been giving on the greensward up to date. The Tenneyites lead the National League clubs, having a clean record of four straight victories. The Bostons accomplished a feat against the Brooklyns, which is seldom made during a championship season—that of winning an entire series of four games from an opponent.

New Blood Has Told.

The new blood in the Tenneyites has served to make them a formidable aggregation, and it would not be surprising if they humiliated Hugh Duffey's pennant aspirants.

Fred Tenney and his men, when seen at their hotel, displayed much enthusiasm regarding the coming game. Every man in the bunch is pleased with his best for their clever manager, and Fred Tenney, who is out to make a mark for his Bubbleites this season.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
BOSTON	2	0	1.000
Pittsburg	2	0	1.000
Chicago	1	0	1.000
Cincinnati	1	1	.500
Philadelphia	1	1	.500
Brooklyn	1	2	.333
St. Louis	0	2	.000
New York	0	2	.000

GAMES YESTERDAY.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati 3, Chicago, 2.
At Philadelphia—Phila., 4, New York, 2.

GAMES SCHEDULED TO-DAY.

Boston at Philadelphia.
New York at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at Pittsburg.
St. Louis at Chicago.

"Of course we haven't a pennant or anything like it won yet," said the Captain manager of the Bostons, "but we are going to make a more serious bid for it this season, than we have made for the past five years. Everybody is keyed up to a high pitch of enthusiasm, and if we don't make many of those so-called champions bite the dust, then I will be greatly mistaken.

"When Chief Fraser shows me which I hope will be very soon, we will be much strengthened in the pitching department. As it is with Little Jesse Young Lindaman, Pfeder and McCarthy we have a quartet of talented artists who will show their opponents many new wrinkles in the twirling line before they are through. Yes, we are out to make a name for ourselves, and with the element luck giving us a fair chance we will make a big stempt to capture the flag."

Professor Tenney will probably trot out Lindaman or Pfeder this afternoon. This pitcher has displayed great form up to date. It is not unlikely that Manager Duffy, who for so long played with the Boston Nationals, will trot out that other old Hubbite, Charley Pittenger.

Hemphill may be placed in right field in place of Batsy this afternoon.

MATHEWSON IS GETTING CHESTY

"You can tell the Cincinnati people for me that they did not win a game from me last year and they won't this year, either. Tell them in Chicago that I will give the Nationals all the trouble they want this year, and if Cleveland has anything that bunch if it should happen to win the American League championship I will beat it out of the world's championship."

So said Christy Mathewson, premier twirler of the New York Giants, to a Portstown newspaper man.

"It is true I was laid up for ten days with diphtheria, but I am in tiptop condition again," he continued. "Owing to lack of work, my arm is not quite as strong as it will be in a week or two, but there is nothing the matter with me and I anticipate as good a season as I had last year."

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ARTHUR COTE BEAT QUILL

PROVIDENCE, April 17.—Arthur Cote of Biddeford, Me., secured the decision over Tommy Quill of Brockton in the feature event at the Rhode Island A. C. at Thornton. Cote had the better of the fight at all stages and the decision was never in doubt after the fifth round. He outboxed and outpointed the Brockton boy and won with a wide margin. In the semi-final, Johnny Lynch of Cambridge knocked out Young Boudreau of Boston in the third round.

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Originality Is the Last Thing a Man Requires of Women

By Beatrice Fairfax

If woman were only as direct and unconscious in manner as man is it would greatly simplify life for her.

From the cradle to the grave she is forced to act a part.

Certain qualities are dubbed "feminine," and these she must have or pretend to have if she wishes to get on with the opposite sex.

When a man likes a girl he doesn't care if the whole world knows it, but when a girl likes a man her great object in life is to hide it from everybody, the man included.

One would think it were the greatest disgrace for a girl to love a man who did not love her.

And yet when a man loves a girl and she cannot return his love the world does not think any the less of him.

Why should one be any more criticised than the other?

But the woman must hide her love from all eyes until the man has graciously signified that he desires it.

It wouldn't be considered womanly to show it before it is asked for. She must pretend she does not care.

And that is only one of the many things she must pretend.

She must pretend she loves children when in fact they may bore her to death.

She must pretend she adores all the womanly accomplishments, such as housekeeping, sewing, cooking, etc.

It is not her fault—the situation has been forced upon her.

She knows that in order to find favor in the average man's eyes she must have or seem to have all the womanly characteristics.

In a certain sense her life is a living lie.

A man does not have to pretend to be any different from what he is.

He can speak and do as he likes without any fear of being called unmanly.

Woman's life is absolutely attuned to man's whims, whereas man is utterly independent of woman's opinions.

Before every action the least bit unusual a woman must pause, and wonder if some man will approve of it. He may be a father, husband or brother—there is always some one.

Man goes straight ahead without caring what any woman thinks if he himself approves of his course.

It does not seem quite fair that one should have so much more freedom than the other.

It is some slight consolation that woman's lack of freedom makes her of a certain amount of responsibility.

Tied down by conventional and time-honored laws, there is usually but one course for her to follow.

She does not have to decide for herself, because custom has already decided for her.

Originality is the last thing the average man requires of woman. He does not understand it, and is therefore afraid of it.

At the same time it is man who drives her to endless pretence, for most of it comes through striving to please him.

EVERY WOMAN MAY FIND A BECOMING STYLE THIS YEAR

Gray Has Supreme Sway Over All the Colors

By Grace Hyman

NEWEST EMPIRE STYLE STREET COSTUME

EVER before have Easter fashions presented such ravishing variety.

There is not one mode of the moment, but twenty.

Women, whether they are short or tall, thin or stout, dark or fair, may find a style that is becoming and is still the latest and smartest and most up-to-date of fashions.

Almost any hat twisted into any shape and trimmed with any trimming is smart. Combinations of flowers and feathers, ribbons and laces, ribbons, plaid or plain, with quills, soft plumes on small, severely shaped hats are worn and find favor in women's eyes.

It would be difficult to say that any particular shape or style was the best of the season, although, perhaps, a few general suggestions might give an idea of what tend to be the popular modes.

The picture hat is practically banished for the present, and the small, jaunty, tilted headgear is having its day. The biggest hats worn are usually medium size, though they may be largely and elaborately trimmed with flowers and ribbons, which hang from their brims, sometimes almost to the waistline, and at least well down over the little Jap lantern black.

As for color, there is a perfect riot of it. Cinnamon and red, pale blue and pink, red and white, purple and lavender and rose in all its varieties, and shades in quite the favorite.

For suits and costumes gray seems to hold first place as a color, and its range of shades is quite remarkable.

This lustre green is made of canary-colored lady's cloth, with a little coat of the same shade of silk lining.

The under-waist and under-sleeves are of deep cream lace and silk, with bands of rich Persian embroidery—a combination of general colors.

The deep girdle which fits just below the bust line is of the same taffeta as the coat, and from it hang two long streamers of wide ribbon to the feet of the skirt.

The hat is of burnt straw color, trimmed simply with cream plumes and a soft fold of chiffon crepe around the crown.

The Empire is perhaps the newest and most extreme of models. But in the hands of clever American women even this style is made possible.

The Wedding Chest Is a Clever Bride's Richest Possession

THE wedding chest has come back to us fragrant with lavender and sentimental associations. The art furniture shops show the most splendid chests of dull and polished woods, carved and fretted and painted, decorated with inlays of metal and porcelain and enamels, fastened with bolts and bars and locks and rivets that make one think of the wedding trips of the long ago, when the bride and bridegroom went off in a coach and were apt to be held up and robbed by the unsentimental highwayman.

The bridal chest has another aspect. It speaks of the revival of thrift and forethought. The bride of to-day does not sit and spin sheets and lingerie for herself and her future home. The things she can buy in the shops are so much handsomer and almost as cheap, and she has no time—even if she had a spinning wheel.

Looks for Bargains

She haunts the shops with her eyes on the bargains and her mind on the requirements of her trousseau, and in this way she acquires for comparatively little the luxurious accessories that cost so much when one goes out and buys them in cold blood.

As she accumulates pretty neckwear, bargain gloves, cobwebby handkerchiefs, ribbons and belts, and perhaps even bits of French jewelry, in the way of slides for her hair or buckles for the belt, she stows them away, carefully wrapped in tissue paper, in the trousseau chest. It is a temptation to wear some of the things, of course, but that is part of the game of thrift—to be tempted and to resist.

Varieties of Chest

One girl collected all of her underwear in this way. She had very little money and she was determined to have all hand-made lingerie. The combination at first seemed impossible, but she bought a trousseau chest and began collecting her things gradually. The buying extended over the entire Winter before the Spring that she was married.

The trousseau chest of this girl was nothing more impressive than a long, deep box covered with chintz, that she afterwards used for a window seat shirt-waist box.

Another girl had a chest of mission oak with a design pictured out in red and green and black on the cover. This box cost less than $5, and into it she put all the linen and housewifely things that her domestic-minded mother insisted upon fitting her out with.

Into the trousseau chest go also the lengths of lace and the heirloom table linen and the treasured odds and ends that many old-fashioned and new-fashioned mothers give their daughters—old silver spoons, camel's-hair shawls (the daughter may use the latter for portieres), and even baby clothes yellow with age, but daintily made.

The trousseau chest is an inspiring institution, and it is nice to show to the other girls who want to peep at your new frills—for there is only one thing that women love to look at more than a trousseau, and that is baby clothes.

Expert Pointers on Care of Your Hair

NO matter how generous Nature has been in the matter of luxuriant tresses, it will avail nothing if they are not well kept and becomingly dressed.

Hair cannot be healthy if it is not taken care of. Nor can it be healthy if the general state of the body is not good. Abundant tresses seldom accompany an impaired constitution.

If a person is generally healthy, and only the hair is not, then only local treatment is required.

The first step is cleanliness, and there is no better way of accomplishing this than by a monthly shampoo of eggs. One or two eggs and an equal amount of water should be well mixed together and rubbed into the scalp with the finger tips. Soap is not then necessary.

If, however, soap is used instead of eggs, a lather should be made. Never rub the soap itself on the hair. Rinse thoroughly, then dry the hair with warm towels and let it hang over the shoulders as long as possible.

The split ends of the hair must be treated as soon as the hair is dry. Comb out the tangles and divide the hair into strands. Beginning at the ends, with a fine brush, then comb carefully till all the tangles are out. Then twist a few hairs into a small strand, hold it at the end and pass the other hand closed around it from the end to the roots. All the short ends will then be in full view. By running a lighted taper quickly up and down the strand all these split ends will be singed and thus encouraged to grow.

This must be done with great care to avoid danger of setting fire to the hair.

Fashion decrees that the hair must have a gloss, but nothing that requires the use of grease. To produce this natural gloss the hair should be left to hang loosely over the shoulder whenever time permits, and as much as possible to the fresh air and sunshine.

Night and morning the hair should be brushed for ten minutes with a medium stiff brush.

Massage is splendid to stimulate the growth of new hair. A few minutes night and morning work a wonderful change.

Place the tips of the fingers firmly on the head and work the scalp gently about. Another method is to dip the finger in cold water, then quickly tap all over the scalp. Cold water is a splendid tonic.

The best way of dressing the hair at night is to braid it in a loose plait and tie with a string that will not cut. Nothing is more injurious to the hair than sleeping with it full of hairpins.

Much abuse is buried at curling irons, but if they are used with judgment and never when too hot no harm is likely to be done.

ADVICE TO THE LOVELORN

By Beatrice Fairfax

WHICH SHALL IT BE?

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am paying company with a young lady for the last five years undeknown to her parents. I have been trying to make her tell them, but she objects very much. I have also asked to get married and she objects to that also. I am earning a good salary and have no bad habits at all. I have met another young lady a few weeks ago and I like her very much, she also seems to care for me, and her parents have no objection to my calling on her. What would you advise me to do—to give up my first girl and keep company with the last one?

IN DOUBT.

If I were you I would go to the first girl and tell her that you have met another girl whom you feel you could grow to care for. Tell her that if she the first one will not give you a decided answer in regard to marrying you and allowing you to meet her parents, you think the friendship had better come to an end. It is well to be off with the old love before you are on with the new, you know. I think the fear of losing you may bring her to her senses.

A FOOLISH PROCEDURE

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

I am in love with a young man whom I have been keeping company with for the last year and a half. I love him very much and he loves me in return. One evening his sisters went to an affair and he also asked me to go. I refused just to see whether he would would go without me. I told him I had ticked to go to a theatre that evening, and he said he was sorry I could not go, but he went without me. Now, dear Miss Fairfax, what do you think of this young man? Was it right for him to go without me, as he never went any place without me, and am heartbroken?

D. J. M.

I DON'T see why he should not go without you. You led him to believe that you were going to the theatre without him. That is a poor way to test a man's love, and I would not advise you to try it again. Cheer up, you have nothing to fret over. The young man's behavior was perfectly natural in the circumstances.

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JACK HARKAWAY'S SON

CHAPTER XXXIII.

Before the Mast

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IT WAS not the first time that Jack Harkaway had been aboard a whaler, for one of his earliest adventures had been to run away from home and make a voyage to the Hudson Bay whaling grounds, but he knew he wouldn't be likely to find any picnic on board the Kitty.

Furthermore he was bound back to civilization when he would much rather have left his bones in the frozen north now that his wife and child were d—d and he accused of the murder.

But there was no help for it, and he must make the best of a bad case.

So he lay back in his bunk and closed his eyes.

His thoughts were broken in upon by the light of a lantern and the gruff voice of the old captain demanding, not unkindly, to know how he felt.

"Kind of shaky," said Jack, "but a little rest will pull me round all right."

"What were you doin' all alone way up here in the Arctic?" asked the old sea dog.

Jack told him, with his usual frankness, omitting the Hueston episode and accusation.

The skipper was silent for a minute.

"So you're Jack Harkaway?" he said. "Well, I reckon we kin find a berth for ye afore the mast, if you'll bear a hand now an' again till we git back to Bedford."

"I guess I'll be all right to-morrow," said Jack.

But to-morrow found him in a raging fever that kept him delirious for three days.

On the evening of the third day Jack opened his eyes after a refreshing sleep to find the old captain contemplating him by the light of a ship's lantern.

"Feel better?" he queried, gruffly.

"Some," said Jack.

"Pretty sick boy," grunted the old man. "Been doin' some funny talkin', too."

"What did I say?" asked Jack.

"Talkin' about bein' wanted for murderin' yer wife an' kid," said the captain.

Jack told the old sea dog the whole story, and his frankness brought its own reward.

The captain meditatively turned his chew of tobacco over in his mouth. Jack finished his story.

"My opinion is," said the old man, "that you're a darn fool. Don't reckon there's any word of truth in Hueston's yarn. Better get back to New York and see for yerself."

And so it happened that Jack Harkaway found himself shipped before the mast on the good ship Kitty, doing the work of a regular A B for his passage back to the country he had hoped never to see again.

They were pretty well clear of the ice now, and Jack was installed in the forecastle, a canvas shove, and watching to see that every stitch of clothing while the old captain paced the deck, stopping once in a while to chat with Jack and offer a cheering word.

The Kitty was rippling through the water like a greyhound, and Jack was wondering how long it would be before he reached New York, when, without the least warning, everyone was thrown flat by a violent shock, the great foremast tottered and was overboard, and the Kitty, trembling in every timber, hung fast on an unseen ledge.

TO BE CONTINUED.

KEEP THE IRON HOT

THE best way to keep an iron hot is, instead of using the ordinary iron stand, which lets the air through to the bottom of the iron, take a clean white brick, set it on the stove for half an hour before using as a stand for the iron. This keeps the heat for a long time, and saves having to heat the iron so many times on ironing day.

A Thrilling Romance of Present-Day American Life

"SHADOWS OF NEW YORK"

CHAPTER VIII.—Continued

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MEN were electrocuted for what he had done; he realized that above all things it was imperative that his nerves should be steady and his mind clear at this moment of all others, when one false step might be fatal.

He felt better for the brandy. Already his nerves seemed steadier, his mind clearer. He had only to keep his head and he could save himself, he whispered.

Everything was in his favor. All would be well if only he kept his head.

To his late partner's own admission no one so far knew of the discovery Wynter had made that afternoon; consequently no one would know anything of the change in his plans with regard to the voyage, the change necessitated by his discovery.

Rosamund had said good-bye to her father at noon that day; she would expect that he was in New York now, that he would sail to-morrow morning.

For some time to come there would be no one and cry for the missing man, because it would not be known that the steamship, the "Beulah Hill," in which his passage was booked, had started without him.

Long before that fact was known he must hide away all traces.

None of the servants had seen Wynter that night; but for Grieve he could have held his tongue about that unexpected visit.

Still, it would be easy to account for it plausibly, that his partner had run down to see him on some detail of business that had been overlooked, and had left again almost at once in order to catch the late night train to New York.

The only way was that it was only Grieve who had been present at their meeting; a more observant man might have noticed Wynter's changed manner, but Grieve was not. He had no fear of Grieve being able to doubt or suspect, he noticed nothing amiss between them.

In any case who would think of suspecting Phillip Haggard?

When the brandy flashed through his mind, the man was not idle. He was moving swiftly and noiselessly. The brandy had steadied his nerves, and the irresolution of those first moments of panic was gone.

Haggard had already gone to the door to take the master into custody—only to remember that the clock had gone wrong yesterday and the man had not yet been to repair it there; there was no bell.

He placed a heavy chair against the door, listening with straining ears as he did so. All was silent in the house. No sound of servants moving. No fear of interruption.

Already he had decided upon a temporary hiding place for that lifeless form. By the side of the fireplace was a large, deep cupboard, such as our ancestors used to put into the houses they built to live in before the days of the speculative builder.

The cupboard door creaked as he pulled it open; a space must be cleared on the floor inside.

Surprise

It was crowded with a jumble of odds and ends—one or two curios he had picked up, and a great stack of books.

Haggard fell to work to clear a space. His work was only half done when a ring at the hall door sent a quiver shaking through his nerves. Who could it be?

A swift dread overtook him that he could not conceal the body there in time; he abandoned the intention. In a fever of haste he dragged the folding oak screen in front of the place where the lifeless man lay.

He heard the servant coming along the corridor to the room, as he stood panting and breathless from his task.

Then, on an impulse of panic, he turned out the light just as the knuckles of the man servant West knocked on the door.

West turned the handle, and the door opened an inch or two, admitting a shaft of light from the corridor as the chair was pushed back.

Fighting to control his agitation, Haggard went forward and removed the obstacle.

"Hullo, this chair must have got in the way," he said, trying to speak carelessly, "is that anyone to see me? I was just leaving the library and had turned out the lights."

"The clerk, sir—Grieve. He says that an important matter was overlooked, and he has come back about it."

Grieve! Had the clerk gave the same explanation for his coming as he had planned to give for the dead man's visit to him to night.

What if Grieve's reason were equally a lie to mask a subtler one?

It was so strange that he should have returned. Had he refuse to see the man?

No, he must see Grieve. To refuse might arouse wonder in the man's mind.

"I can't see him for a minute," Haggard said to West. "When I ring you may show him in here."

"Yes, sir. In that case you will want the lamp lighted again, sir." And West stepped forward into the room.

But almost hysterically Haggard dung himself in the way. To light the lamp the servant would have to pass the screen.

"No!" he cried, betrayed into such startled tones that West was surprised. "No, I'll light the lamp myself. West Show Grieve in here when I ring."

West departed. As his footsteps retreated down the corridor Haggard struck a match and lit the lamp. As he did so he caught a glimpse of his face in the mirror, and it startled him. It is the gray pallor it was almost that of a stranger.

He worked in desperate haste; the cupboard was clear at last for the reception of his grim tenant.

It was terrible to think of touching that still figure; the horror of that necessity laid icy fingers on his heart, but the thing had to be done.

The task was done now; the cupboard door shut and the key turned; the screen put back in its place. But for a minute or two he had to support himself by a chair, faint and utterly unnerved.

At last, setting his teeth, he rang the bell.

And again he asked himself the question: "Had Grieve any subtle, sinister motive in coming back?"

CHAPTER IX.

Storm

A GLANCE at Grieve's woodenness of expression dispelled the suspicion in Haggard's mind.

"I didn't expect to see you back, Grieve. What is it?" he asked sharply.

"I am sorry to trouble you, sir," said the clerk: a trick of the wavering light seemed to make the thin, sallow face still more lean and bloodless. "But Mr. Wynter coming so unexpectedly put out of my head one thing I was about to mention, and as I shall not be at the office tomorrow I thought I'd better come back, sir. It's about Marchison's order. We had a special message up from them——" And the clerk went into details.

"I don't know that it was worth while your coming back about the matter—how ever. I must not blame you for excessive zeal," said Haggard. "I'll attend to it to-morrow."

"Very good, sir. Mr. Wynter has gone, sir?"

Haggard looked at the speaker sharply. The question was simple enough, but it was one unlike the clerk. And Haggard's mind, ploughed by guilty apprehensions, was ripe for the growth of swift suspicion.

"Yes," he said, with an effort; he caught himself almost instinctively looking in the direction of the cupboard—then he turned his eyes away.

"Yes, Mr. Wynter went a few minutes after you left. As you know, he sails for Jamaica to-morrow; and he had to catch the late night train for New York."

"I am surprised I didn't meet him, sir," Grieve said. "He has fr gotten his coat, I am afraid."

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LABOR NEWS

ALLIED PRINTING TRADES UNION LABEL COUNCIL BOSTON, MASS. 96

Thomas E. Looney was elected president of Boston Printing Pressmen's Union No. 67 last night, defeating John H. Pentoney. J. Frank O'Hare, Henry P. Barry and James B. Slater were chosen delegates to the international convention to be held at Pittsburg in June. John F. Cass, Benjamin Harrison and Thomas W. McKay were elected alternates.

J. Frank O'Hare was elected financial secretary and business agent for the fourth consecutive term. The other officers chosen were: Vice-president, Benjamin Harrison; recording secretary, C. J. McCloskey; treasurer, John A. Mullin; executive committee, E. J. Connolly, Charles J. Kodad and Henry T. Regan.

The organization was reported to be in a flourishing condition. The new administration's policy will be to carry on an organizing campaign for the purpose of getting every pressman in the city into the union.

FIREMEN'S ANNUAL BALL.

International President Timothy Healy of New York was a guest at the tenth annual ball of Boston Stationary Firemen's Union No. 3 at Paine Memorial Hall, which was attended by 500 couples.

The grand march was led by President M. P. Flanagan and Miss Elizabeth Flanagan, followed by International President Healy and Miss Mary E. Hackett and 150 couples.

Among the other invited guests were Senator Edward L. Logan, Aldermen Frank J. Linehan and Fred J. Kneeland, President Martin T. Joyce of the Central Labor Union, President Frank P. Monaghan of Stationary Engineers' Union No. 16, President Arthur M. Huddell of Hoisting and Portable Engineers' Union, Vice-President J. F. Shea and J. L. Mullaney of Stationary Firemen's Union No. 242, and Business Agent John F. Kennedy and Financial Secretary Edward F. X. McCarthy of Sheet Metal Workers' Union.

SHEET METAL WORKERS.

A secret ballot on the reply of the employers to the demand for a minimum wage of $3.60 per day will be taken by Sheet Metal Workers' Union No. 17 at a special meeting next Monday night. The union will also act on the suggestion of the executive board to raise the salary of the business agent.

Vice-President Bagley presided at last night's meeting, in the absence of President John J. Hynes, who has been called out of the city on important business in connection with the union. Business Agent John F. Kennedy was chosen to represent the body at the mass meeting next Tuesday night at Faneuil Hall to protest against the action of those Senators who voted against or dodged the Overtime Bill.

MACHINISTS' ANNIVERSARY.

Machinists' Lodge No. 264 holds its anniversary ball to-morrow night at Odd Fellows' Hall. President J. W. Madden will be floor marshal, Joseph Templey floor director, J. W. Hammill and Walter Ames assistant floor directors, Harry Quinn chief of aids, and John J. Connelly, E. H. Fitzgerald, Walter Ames, Charles Grady, Robert Hindle, Tyson B. Powers and James H. Lynch reception committee.

LABOR NOTES.

Painters' Union No. 11 meets to-night at Wells Memorial building.

At to-night's meeting of Local No. 175 the question of the fixture hangers affiliating with the Brotherhood of Electricians will come up for decision.

Laundry Workers' Union has called a special meeting for to-night at Wells Memorial Building.

THOUSANDS OF DIVORCES VOID BY U. S. DECREE

Supreme Court Decision in a Connecticut Case Will Cause Complications.

STATE COURT WRONG

WASHINGTON, April 17.—In an opinion by Justice White, the Supreme Court of the United States has decided the case of Harriet Paddock vs. John W. Paddock, a divorce proceeding instituted in the courts of New York City, in favor of the woman. The decision is of importance to the whole country, as it will make thousands of divorces in different States void, and will thus cause numberless complications.

The Paddocks were married in 1868, and the husband declared he was an unwilling participant in the ceremony. He says in his answer to the woman's complaint that he left her immediately after the marriage, and during all the time that intervened has seen her only three times.

In 1881 he obtained a divorce in Connecticut, where he then lived, and in 1882 was married there to another woman. The New York Supreme Court held the second marriage ceremony to be illegal, decreed the first wife to be still the legal wife and directed Paddock to pay her an annuity of $780.

The finding was sustained by to-day's decision, which held that Mrs. Paddock was without the jurisdiction of the Connecticut court.

Judge White, in deciding the case, laid down the general principle that a State in which only one party to a divorce proceeding resides has no right to dissolve a marriage tie which all other States must respect.

Justices Harlan, Brewer and Brown united in a dissenting opinion. They took the position that the Connecticut divorce proceedings was regular and is entitled to due credit in other States.

DEATH NOTICES.

BOLGER—In Cambridge, April 16, Josephine A., wife of Dr. D. L. Bolger. Funeral from her late residence, 156 Mt. Auburn st., Wednesday, April 18, at 8:15 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Paul's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

CONLEY—In South Boston, April 15, Mary, beloved wife of John Conley. Funeral from her late residence, 124 8th st., Wednesday, April 18, at 8:15 a. m. High mass of requiem at St. Augustine's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

DUNN—In this city, April 15, Christopher, beloved husband of Ann Powers Dunn, 76 yrs. Funeral from St. Jerome's Church, North Weymouth, Tuesday, April 17, at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment at St. Paul's Cemetery, Hingham, Mass.

FLOOD—In Randolph, April 15, Mary E. Flood. Funeral from her late residence, North Main st., Wednesday, April 18, at 9:15 a. m. High mass at St. Mary's Church at 9:30 o'clock. Relatives and friends kindly invited to attend. Please omit flowers.

GLENNON—In South Boston, April 16, Elizabeth, beloved daughter of Daniel J. and Margaret Glennon, 2 yrs. 11 mos. 5 ds. Funeral from parents' residence, 100 Bowen st., Tuesday, April 17, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

HOGAN—In Roxbury, April 16, Annie M., beloved wife of Daniel J. Hogan (nee Murphy). Funeral from her late residence, 609 Parker st., Wednesday, April 18, at 9 o'clock. High mass of requiem at Mission Church at 9:15 o'clock. Relatives and friends kindly invited. New York papers please copy.

MURRAY—In Dorchester, April 16, Thomas, husband of Mary Murray. Funeral from his late residence, 700 Columbia road, Tuesday, April 17, at 7:30 a. m. Services at St. Margaret's Church, Columbia road, at 8 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment in Calvary Cemetery, New York.

PRITCHET—In Winthrop, April 15, Grace, wife of James H. Pritchet, 30 yrs. Funeral from her late residence, 119 Shirley st., Tuesday, April 17, at 3 p. m. Relatives and friends invited without further notice. Salem, Mass., papers please copy.

PEOPLES—April 14, Miss Ellen Peoples. Prayers at her home, 282 Shawmut av., Tuesday, April 17, at 11 a. m.

QUINN—In South Boston, April 14, by accident, Colburn, beloved husband of Bridget Quinn. Funeral from his late residence, 32 Gold st., Wednesday, April 18, at 8:15 a. m. High mass of requiem at SS. Peter and Paul's Church at 9 o'clock.

MULLEN—In South Boston, April 16, James, infant son of Timothy and Mary F. Mullen, 1 yr. 2 mos. Funeral from parents' residence, 162 D st., Tuesday, April 17, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

NEWTON—In Everett, April 16, Miss S. Jennie, daughter of the late Dr. Adin H. and Susan A. Newton, 57 yrs. 8 mos. 8 ds. Funeral services at her late residence, 47 Linden st., Wednesday, April 18, at 1:45 p. m.

VINAL—In Charlestown, April 15, Frank D., beloved husband of Catherine Vinal, 35 yrs. Funeral from his late residence, 5 George st., Wednesday, April 18, at 8:15 a. m. High mass at St. Francis de Sales' Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends and members of Court 126, C. O. F., and Branch Bro. Sears, Irish National Foresters, invited to attend.

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$11,868 IN FAMINE FUND.

The fund which is being raised by the Massachusetts branch of the American National Red Cross for the relief of the famine sufferers in Japan, to-day reached $11,868.20.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

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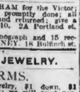

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A GOOD American girl to do work for a family of two. Inquire at 39 Morris st., Everett, G. A. WARREN.

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LAUNDRY work to take home; neatly done and prompt. MRS. M. C. HINTON, 60 Kendall st., Roxbury.

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HOUSES TO LET.

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MME. FRANCES, fortune teller, 45 Pleasant st.—Ladies 25c.; gents 50c.; 30 years' experience.

MISS MACY—Card reader, tells past, present and future. 73 Appleton st.; hours, 10 to 9.

A. ZAROLA tells your name and all you want to know for 50c.; cut this out. 293 Tremont st.

MISS LINCOLN, expert card reader. 307 Columbus av.; hours 9:30 to 7; closed Sundays.

HILDA BYRNES, astrologer, 93 Belvidere st., suite 1; hours 10-6; closed Sundays.

MISS EDSON, card reader, 6A Appleton st., suite 2, up 1 flight; hours 9 to 9.

MISS HOPKINS, expert card reader, 6A Appleton st., suite 1; no Sundays.

MISS HARTT—Palmist, clairvoyant and card reader, 1658 Washington st.

MISS RUTMAN, card reader, 614 Columbus av., suite 3; hours 9 to 9.

MISS NORWOOD, card reader, 400 Columbus av., suite 2; hours 10-8.

MISS DAVIS, from California, medium, 573 Tremont st.; hours 10-9.

MISS J. DOUGLASS, 620 Columbus av., suite 2—Card reading.

MISS RAY, 220 Tremont st.—Card reading; hours 10 to 8.

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ALBEE'S LIST of stores, store and office fixtures, etc., for sale, this page every Sat. 10 Blackstone.

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ONE CENT A WORD.

AUTOMOBILE, Orient buckboard, two-speed, water cooler; trade for a diamond or sell for $100; quick sale; am going away. JUDSON, 11½ Warrenton st.

AUTOMOBILE—I will buy a gasoline touring car and pay cash, or trade valuable real estate. WM. E. COOPER, No. 343 Tremont st., Boston.

AUTOMOBILE—I will trade my gasoline touring car, seats 5 people, for city real estate. E. F. EDWARDS, No. 343 Tremont st.

DESKS, office furniture, store fixtures or stocks of goods wanted for cash or exchange; bargain prices on anything you want. LEE, 30 Kneeland st.

EXCHANGE Fairbanks banjo and case, new, in perfect order, for small Boston terrier bitch or will pay cash. JOHN L. HEFFERNON, 84 Thornton st., Roxbury.

FOR EXCHANGE—Automatic banjo slot attachment for other slot machine. G. F. B., 2,310 Washington st.

FOR SALE or exchange—Kotton candy machine, equal value. Address Box 113, West Derry, N. H.

HAVE 300 sheets of dollar carbon, will exchange for 100 sheets Kee Lox "Non Grease" carbon. P 243, Boston American.

I WOULD LIKE to exchange my King Poco 6½-8½ camera without lens for a wide angle lens. G 174, Boston American.

ONE 30-light Colts acetyline and one 30-light Walworth gasoline machine in A1 condition; exchange or best offer. W. T. K., 78 Vernon st., Somerville.

PIANOLA music rolls to exchange for others, send for list. E 269, Boston American.

WE exchange or sell imported colored postal cards (not comic) for 1½ cts. each, in lots of 20, from all over the world; send 10 cts. silver, sample 5. STANDARD CARD CO., Haverhill, Mass.; satisfaction guaranteed.

WILL give 25-volume set "Eloquence" library free to anyone purchasing new set Marion Crawford's works, 32 volumes, value $48 for $28, small monthly payments taken, sample sent. Address BOOKS, G 218, Boston American.

WILL EXCHANGE a combination gold writing pencil and pen for a Waterman fountain pen. Y 185, Boston American.

WANTED—To exchange a large chiffonier bed. What will you give for it? Y 187, Boston American.

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOARD OF POLICE.

1306 BOSTON, April 17, 1906. Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that the Philbrook Distributing Co., Philip J. Rowe, Pres. and Treas.; Dennis J. O'Brien, Secretary, has applied for licenses of the First and Fourth classes to sell intoxicating liquors as victualler and wholesale dealer "A" at Nos. 365 and 369 Cambridge st., 183 and 187 Charles st., rear entrance from Cambridge st., av., and bulkhead entrances on Cambridge st. and Charles st., in said Boston, in three rooms first floor, cellars for stock only of said building. THOMAS RYAN, Clerk.

BOARD OF POLICE.

1308 BOSTON, April 17, 1906. Notice is hereby given, under Chapter 100 of the Revised Laws, that James R. Clogher and Dudley J. C. Mulrenin, as Oxford Grocery Co., have applied for a license of the Fourth class to sell intoxicating liquors as grocers at Nos. 604 Columbus av. and 276 and 278 Northampton st., in said Boston, in two rooms first floor and cellar of said building. THOMAS RYAN, Clerk.

DETECTIVES.

National Detective Agency, LICENSED and bonded. Room 913, Colonial bldg.; phone Oxford 32. Attorney's advice free.

REFRIGERATORS.

FOR SALE—Grocers, market, restaurant, fixtures, new or second-hand, at factory prices; cash or credit. WHITMAN & CO., 76 Arlington av., Sullivan sq.

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AUTOMOBILE private driving lessons by the hour. BENJ. SMITH, 364 Columbus av., dealer in automobiles; telephone 21793 Tremont.

HEARST'S BOSTON AMERICAN

WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST

80 AND 82 SUMMER ST., BOSTON, APRIL 17, 1906

The Boiling Heart of Our Earth

Bursting Forth Through Vesuvius, It Has Injured Tens of Thousands of the Tiny Creatures Living on Our Planet's Surface

That eruption at Vesuvius, the blinding ashes, the boiling lava, the roaring of vast power, the throwing of huge stones into the air **IS A MILD, GENTLE REMINDER OF WHAT WENT ON ALL OVER THE EARTH LONG AGO.**

You know that you live on the hard crust of a globe that inside is of molten, fiery material.

We little creatures calling ourselves "men and rulers" are like tiny flies walking over the cooling crust of a pie that is still red hot inside.

The cooling process goes on inside of our earth while we live on the crust that has formed through the ages of rolling through the cold ether.

Vesuvius and Mont Pelee and the other volcanoes that worry us men and kill a few of us from time to time are like safety valves on the earth's surface. They allow the accumulated gases to be thrown out and the earth to continue without exploding or breaking up in its gradual journey toward death and coolness—a journey already finished by the moon.

Our earth, like our tiny selves, is slowly dying, slowly losing heat and force.

The volcano that terrifies millions of us is simply like a sore on a human being through which the system is relieved.

Imagine little microbes fleeing in terror from such a sore spot on the human body; imagine them walking in procession, begging the sore not to explode; imagine one heroic little microbe maintaining his position at the very mouth of danger—and you have, on a reduced scale, a picture of Vesuvius.

There the little, tiny human microbes flee in terror, begging for mercy.

The brave scientist holds his place close to the crater, risking his life to study the earth's trouble and travail. His seismometer tests the earth's heavy rumbling as the doctor's stethoscope tests the dull, dangerous murmur in a man's lungs.

All around the base of the volcano, the little living creatures flee in terror. One begs the King—poor little animal—to use his influence and stop the volcano's fierceness. Another foolishly declares that there is no Divine rule on a planet where such things can happen. Superstition, faith and stupid atheism cry out side by side, meeting with upturned eyes at the foot of the black, smoking hill that has meant death for thousands from time to time, through the ages.

Turn your eyes toward Vesuvius for a real picture of man's littleness—for an idea of what the vastness of the universe would be in our eye **WERE WE CAPABLE OF CONCEIVING IT.**

MAN is but a tiny, invisible insect at the foot of that pile of lava, that vent to the earth's troubles.

And that towering volcano, as we call it, is an imperceptible little roughness on the surface of this earth.

AND THIS EARTH ITSELF IS AN INVISIBLE POINT OF MATTER IN OUR SOLAR SYSTEM. THE EARTH COULD FALL UPON THE SUN AND BE ABSORBED AS A SNOWFLAKE IS ABSORBED WHEN IT FALLS TO THE CRATER OF THAT VOLCANO.

And our great sun itself, with its family of planetary children that follow it in its mysterious journey, could similarly fall and disappear in the vast embrace of one of those greater suns that reach us dimly hundreds of "light years" away.

Truly man is a little thing; and that which frightens and checks him should at least cause him to realize the grandeur of this marvelous cosmic organization of which he is a part and be thankful that he is permitted, even dimly, to look out into it and faintly, feebly to understand it.

P. S.—**BE A CHARITABLE MICROBE.**

The microbes that swarm invisible on our bodies are no smaller than WE—compared with the greater body upon which we live. And we are but lost atoms in infinite space—**PHYSICALLY.**

There is one thing about us, however—we **DO THINK.**

And we **ARE CAPABLE OF SYMPATHY.** In the low world of living matter that the microscope shows us it is all unthinking selfishness—each little infusorium protecting itself, each little wiggling germ fighting for itself only. **WE HUMAN MICROBES DO BETTER THAN THAT.**

We help each other—**SOME OF US, AT LEAST.**

Be a HELPFUL microbe. Look at that catastrophe at Naples as philosophically as you please—**BUT HELP. Be a GOOD** microbe and send something to the fund to help the victims of the eruption. The editor of this newspaper has started a fund, contributing one thousand dollars to get it going. Already ten thousand dollars have been sent by cable to help a little. Do your share. Address contributions to the editor of the **BOSTON AMERICAN, W. R. Hearst,** who is chairman of the **National Relief Committee.**

All contributions, big or little, will be acknowledged in our news columns. The American traveler who has enjoyed Italy's hospitality and been developed by studying her treasures of art and her natural beauties should be glad to help.

Italians in America will of their own accord and without urging, hasten to prove their proverbial generosity and patriotism.

O! That Wicked Muck-Rake Man

By James J. Montague

HUSH! Hush! Do not breathe a word of it;
There goes a grafting Senator who ought to be in jail;
But do not prove that he's a thief, for,
If the public heard of it,
The seditious deceitives might go
camping on his trail!
Do not call attention to his aptitude for bribery,
Never ask the populace his evil deeds to scan;
It would only hurt his feelings
If you pointed out his stealings,
And the President would class you as a wicked muck-rake man!

SH! Sh! don't write about the prevalence
Of thievery in Washington or grafting anywhere;
Attacks upon a billionaire prove only your malevolence;
If other people want to steal, it's none of your affair.

Let railroads give up rebates in defiance of the statute books,
Let gas and ice trusts soak you as adroitly as they can;
But do not say—out loud—
What you know about the crowd,
Or the President will flay you as an awful muck-rake man.

LET no rough-riding editor attempt to heave the lariat
At pilfering officials who are out to get the stuff;
Do not dig up the evidences and rouse the proletariat
Because a huffy public sometimes gets a trifle rough!
But shut your eyes to graft and greed
If you may stumble over it;
There have been thieves in public life since public life began;
So don't for worlds accuse one,
Or discredit or abuse one,
Lest the President assail you as a horrid muck-rake man!

THEY DON'T LIKE THE MUCK-RAKE

BY T. E. POWERS

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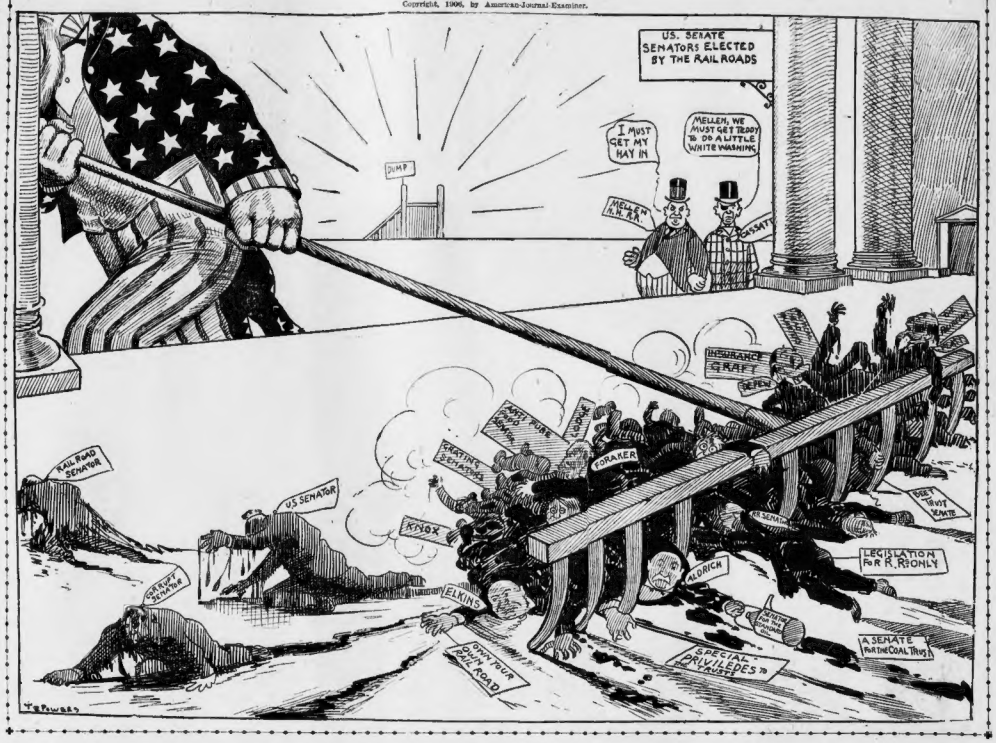

THE HALL-ROOM BOYS

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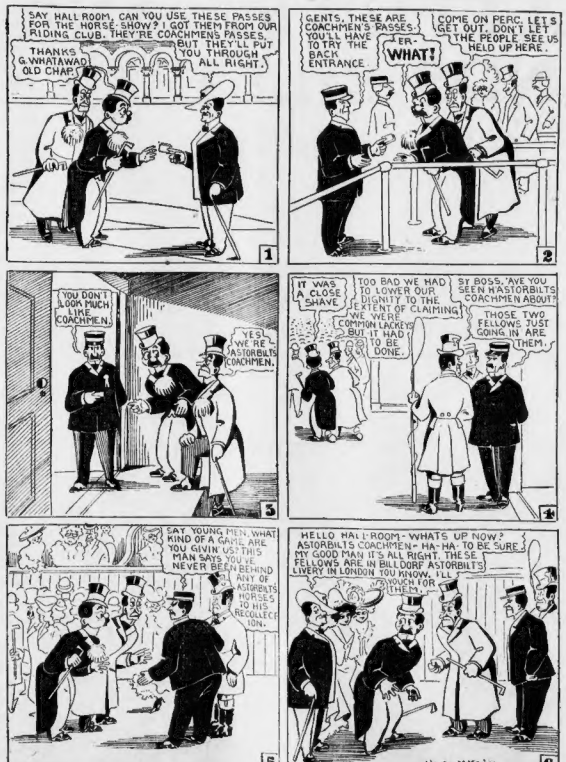
SAY HALL ROOM, CAN YOU USE THESE PASSES FOR THE HORSE SHOW? I GOT THEM FROM OUR RIDING CLUB. THEY'RE COACHMENS PASSES, BUT THEY'LL PUT YOU THROUGH ALL RIGHT.
THANKS G. WHATAWAD OLD CHAP.
GENTS, THESE ARE COACHMEN'S PASSES. YOU'LL HAVE TO TRY THE BACK ENTRANCE
COME ON FERC, LETS GET OUT. DON'T LET THE PEOPLE SEE US HELD UP HERE.
WHAT!
1
2
YOU DON'T LOOK MUCH LIKE COACHMEN.
YES, WE RE-ASTORBILTS COACHMEN.
IT WAS A CLOSE SHAVE
TOO BAD WE HAD TO LOWER OUR DIGNITY TO THE EXTENT OF CLAIMING
WE WERE COMPAN LACKEY BUT IT HAD TO BE DONE.
SY BOSS, 'AVE YOU SEEN HASTORBILTS COACHMEN ABOUT?
THOSE TWO FELLOWS JUST GOING IN ARE THEM.
3
4
SAY YOUNG MEN, WHAT KIND OF A GAME ARE YOU GIVIN US? THIS MAN SAYS YOU'VE NEVER BEEN BEHIND ANY OF ASTORBILTS HORSES TO HIS RECOLLECTION.
HELLO HALL ROOM- WHATS UP NOW? ASTORBILTS COACHMEN- HA-HA- TO BE SURE MY GOOD MAN IT'S ALL RIGHT. THESE FELLOWS ARE IN BILLORF ASTORBILTS LIVERY IN LONDON YOU KNOW. I'LL VOUCH FOR THEM.
5
6
W. R. Hearst

WASN'T IT KIND OF G. WHATAWAD TO VOUCH FOR THEM?

Ella Wheeler Wilcox

INSIGHT

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

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DOWN the river of life, as I float along,
I see with the spirit's sight
That many a nauseous weed of wrong
Has root in a seed of right.
For evil is good that has gone astray,
And sorrow is only blindness,
And the world is always under the sway
Of a chanceless law of kindness.

The commonest error a truth can make
Is shouting its sweet voice hoarse,
And sin is only the soul's mistake
In misdirecting its force.

And love, the fairest of all fair things
That ever to man descended,
Grows rank with nettles and poisonous things
Unless it is watched and tended.

There could not be anything better than this
Old world in the way it began,
And though some matters have gone amiss
From the great original plan;
And however dark the skies may appear,
And however souls may blunder,
I tell you it all will work out clear,
For good lies over and under.

How Water Can Be Squeezed Out of Corporation Capital

By Professor Frank Parsons

THE Legislature has a right to eliminate fictitious values by exercising its power to regulate rates and inspect accounts, and by requiring the companies to write off proper depreciation.

If rates are reduced to the level where they will just pay fair interest on the real value or cost of duplication as a going concern the market value will come down to the real value.

Except in the case of a franchise that is by express terms exclusive, the Legislature has a right to authorize competition either by public or private enterprise, and by this means also water may be let out of the system.

Moreover, it has been decided that a commission appraising the value of a public service franchise in proceedings for purchase by the city may assume that the Legislature will exercise its power to authorize competition or otherwise prevent excessive profits, and may estimate the amount to be paid by the city on that basis.

If two principles can secure recognition, viz., that capital is not immortal and that a fraudulent contract made by collusion with the people's agents is null and void, just the same as a fraudulent contract secured by collusion with the agents of any other principal, the people will be in pretty good condition to take over the corporate monopolies.

In addition to the cancellation of every franchise in respect to which fraud or collusion can be shown, it should be clearly recognized that the life of capital is limited. Cars and tracks, engines, dynamos, wires and poles wear out; even buildings deteriorate and are outgrown so that they have to be replaced as a rule in fifty or one hundred years.

The average life of a street railway system is probably not over thirty or forty years. Even in case of a perpetual franchise, therefore, the valuation for city purchase should properly relate almost wholly, if not wholly, to the fair average life of the actual present investment.

The fair net earnings for that time, in the light of the right and duty of legislative regulation or other action to prevent extortion as above explained, should be considered, but the public is not bound to rebuild the plant for the company every thirty years in addition to paying good dividends on the investment.

They must rebuild the plant themselves out of their fair dividends, just as a merchant or manufacturer in the competitive field has to do.

This principle with those above stated, leaves only one important legal difficulty in the problem of abolishing the inflation of corporate capital, and that is the matter of inter-company leases at a fixed rental sufficient to pay interest on watered stock, etc.

These leases at fixed rentals or guaranteed interest or dividends, constitute the most objectionable form of overcapitalization, because they are protected by the provision of the Federal Constitution against the impairment of contracts.

They therefore petrify and perpetuate inflation beyond the reach of justice, unless the courts can be persuaded to take the ground that a long-term contract to pay rentals or dividends in excess of legal interest on actual investment is usury and extortion and void as a fraud upon the public.

As to future contracts, of course legislative action may be taken to prevent overcapitalization in this way, even to the making of the terms of such contracts subject to revision or annulment every five years or at any time after five years by the Legislature or a public board.

The subject is one of vital importance and demands the attention of every thoughtful citizen.